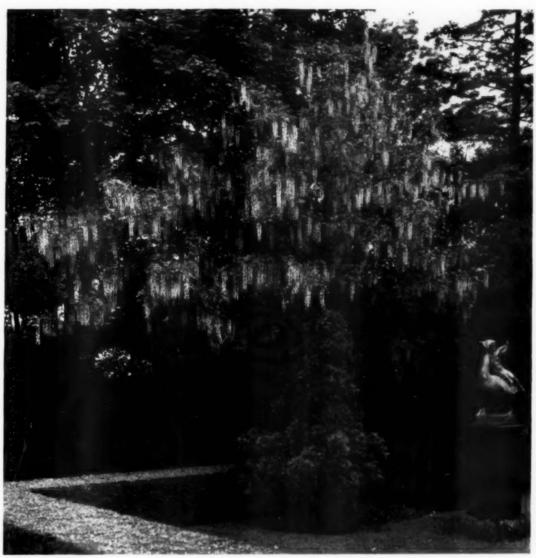
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PLANTS FOR RANCH HOUSES

Whether one's architectural taste leans to the ranch or modern type of house, the fact must be faced that a large proportion of present-day homes are constructed in that style, and the nurseryman, whether he be landscape designer or grower, must be governed accordingly.

There is not much ornament in these styles of architecture. Often the lines themselves have little to recommend them artistically—but the same may be said of the 2-story homes constructed by speculative builders of an earlier era. Some of the cheaper homes of the ranch style have as much grace in their lines as a packing box, and less than a log cabin.

Herein lies the nurseryman's opportunity. It has already been suggested by leading landscape architects that the present-day homes require different treatment than did the 2-story buildings of another era. Instead of tall, straight shade trees, erect coniferous evergreens and tall massive shrubs, the ranch-style home demands smaller trees of irregular outline, spreading evergreens and dainty shrubs. These provide the curves and ornamentation which were supplied by architectural features and adornments in the houses built a generation ago.

Some landscape nurserymen are doing some excellent work in planting ranch or modern-style homes according to these briefly stated principles. Sometimes they buy from the grower his irregular, misshapen trees to produce the desired effect, and obtain the stock at a reduced price, while the grower retains his stiff, straight trees at full prices, according to the ideas of earlier days.

Those who do landscape planting are not the only ones who should recognize the change. The nurserymen who grow the stock should likewise understand that, of the nearly 1,000,000 dwellings expected to be built annually in the next decade, most will be the single-story type, with severely straight outlines, which can be made beautiful if the right

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trees, shrubs and vines are employed in the planting about them.

If the new homes are made beautiful by plants, the nurserymen will be sought for more stock. But if stark lines are emphasized by straight, vertical plantings, the effect will attract less buying of trees and shrubs. The way has been shown by some of the leading landscape designers. It deserves more attention by the producers, as well as the retailers, of nursery stock.

AIDING BUSINESS

Expressing in his first message to Congress his intention to make life easier for businessmen, and especially those of the small variety, President Eisenhower required less than three weeks to take action desired by practically all of them, the removal of all wage controls and of most of the items from under price control. The regulations in regard to prices did not affect nurserymen, except indirectly in the matter of some supplies, but wage controls hampered management in this industry as elsewhere.

Balancing the budget and lowering taxes will take a longer time, but the promptness of action by the administration in regard to wage and price controls augurs well for the future.

DEBTS HIGH TOO

Mixed reactions appeared in the comments on the recent report of the Department of Commerce on the increase in both government and private debts in the past dozen years. Whereas obligations of federal, state and local governments and debts of individuals and corporations stood at \$180,000,000,000 at the end of 1939, the total reached a figure estimated at between \$535,000,000,000 and \$550,000,000,000 at the end of 1952.

Of course, almost two thirds of the increase was in the federal government's indebtedness, which had risen from \$40,400,000,000 to the huge sum of \$259,151,000,000. State and local government obligations rose from \$20,000,000,000 to a 1952 total of \$29,600,000,000.

Mortgage loans on nonfarm homes rose from \$17,948,000,000 at the end of 1939 to an estimated figure of \$59,500,000,000 in 1952. Consumer credit obligations, mostly installment

credit, increased from \$7,031,000,000 to an estimated \$23,700,000,000. Other forms of private indebtedness are farm loans and the obligations of incorporated and unincorporated businesses.

Some part of the increase doubtless has been caused by the inflation of prices, or the shrinking of the dollar, as you prefer.

Bankers and credit executives say they are not worried at the increase in debts, because it is to be expected to accompany record employment, high wages, record business activity and expanding production. So long as our economy continues at its present high level, the indebtedness, being relative to other factors, may not be too large.

But there has been an increase in interest rates, small and gradual; loans and credits are given more careful scrutiny. Farm prices have declined 10 per cent in the past year, and some recessions have appeared in the quotations of other merchandise.

While all hope for a continuation of business on its current high level -and nurserymen have good reason to expect it in view of unabated home building activity-the phase of the business cycle would call for some consideration of the other side of the picture. The operator whose turnover is within annual scope or whose enterprise is a service business is unlikely to have much indebted-. ness; if he has, study of its reduction is in order. The producer of stock, particularly on a large scale, which requires several years to bring to salable sizes should consolidate his position. He may find it profitable to borrow for expansion, but in these thriving times for nurserymen, he should be thinking in short terms instead of long terms. The desirability of a strong cash position is not to be overlooked-an asset whatever the future holds in store.

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GRAND RAPIDS ELECTS

President of the Grand Rapids Association of Landscape Designers and Nurserymen for the new term is William Barnaby, Barnaby's Landscape Nursery, Grand Rapids, who was the group's president during the past year as well. Wilbur Luikens, Holland-American Seed Co., Grand Rapids, was re-elected secretary-treasurer, and Bruce Fox was elected vice-president.



New officers and distinguished guests of the New England Nurserymen's Association examine some literature during the association's Boston convention. Left to right are John A. Brownell, Newport, R. I., vicepresident: Chester E. Hogan, Manchester, Conn., presi-

dent; Erwin W. Whitham, Manchester, Conn., secretary; Alfred Angel, Newport, R. I., treasurer; Peter Cascio, West Hartford, Conn., president of the American Association of Nurserymen, and Curtis Porterfield, Washington, D. C., A. A. N. administrative assistant.

Merchandising Aired at New England

Chester E. Hogan, of C. R. Burr & Co., Manchester, Conn., was elected president of the New England Nurserymen's Association at the 42nd annual convention of the association, held at Boston, Mass., February 3 to 5. Mr. Hogan advanced from the vice-presidency.

Other officers elected at the meeting were vice-president, Jack Brownell, Rhode Island Nurseries, Newport, R. I.; secretary, Erwin Whitham, Manchester, Conn., and treasurer, Alfred Angel, Newport, R. I.

Elected to the executive committee were Willard M. Bond, Bay State Nurseries, Inc., North Abington, Mass.; Charles A. Godin, Adams Nursery, Westfield, Mass., and Dick Van Heiningen, Van Heiningen Nurseries, Deep River, Conn. Delegates elected to the American Association of Nurserymen included Bob Stuart, Harry Eastman and Bob Hutt. Alternate delegates elected were Bob Kempenaar, Ray Griffin and R. H. Gardner, Jr.

Peter Cascio Speaks

The meeting opened at 1:30 p. m. February 3, following a luncheon served to the delegates. The first speaker was Peter Cascio, West Hart-

ford, Conn., president of the A. A. N. Mr. Cascio began his talk by reviewing the details of the planting programs being carried out in various parts of the country, particularly those in the state of Ohio. Mr. Cascio pointed out that it was New England that first originated the idea of "Plant America," but that at the moment the areas to the west were "stealing the show"; he called upon the New England nurserymen to do more work to keep pace with the Ohioans and others who are making progress in the planting program.

Mr. Cascio then reviewed the program of the A. A. N. to combat fraudulent and misleading advertising, and expressed the belief that this type of advertising has reached its peak and from now on will show a decline. "The American Association of Nurserymen and others are collaborating to smash this [misleading advertising] every time that it appears," he said. "We will battle for accurate horticultural descriptions to maintain the confidence and good will of our customers."

Touching upon the forthcoming A. A. N. convention at New York, Mr. Cascio expressed the hope that the "New England Night" at the meeting will reflect some of the true flavor of the area, so that it will be readily distinguished from the other nights being sponsored by nurserymen of other eastern areas.

Mr. Cascio was followed by Curtis Porterfield, administrative assistant of the A. A. N., who made the first of two appearances on the program.

Speaking of the situation at Washington, Mr. Porterfield said that the attitude now prevalent at the capital is that a feeling of dignity is being restored to the government, especially to the executive branch. "You can actually sense it by just going back to Washington after being away for a day or two," declared Mr. Porterfield.

Speaking of businessmen and their relations with the trade associations, Mr. Porterfield observed that nurserymen who want to make a real contribution to the industry as a whole cannot do so easily without the help of local, state, regional and national trade associations.

"You can do well by yourselves," he continued, "but the day of the rugged individualist, who could go out and grab a woman by the hair and drag her to his cave and then go out with a spear and kill what food he needs, is gone. It is becoming more and more imperative that all nurserymen join in the association with their fellow men in the industry so that the industry itself can obtain a larger share of the consumer's dollar.

"You know, you are not in competition with each other," the speaker went on. "Nurserymen obtain less than one-tenth of 1 per cent of the consumer's dollar. In the past eight years, which could be called the age of television, more than 20,000,000 television sets have been sold in the United States. I want to tell you that this represents a considerable number of consumer dollars, and they are not going into nursery stock. This is where your competition is really situated!"

Willard M. Bond, president of the association, next presented his report to the membership. He noted that the association has finally exceeded the 100 mark in membership, having as of the time of his address a total of 117 members. The president congratulated the membership committee and others who contributed to the additions in membership.

Mr. Bond then reviewed the famous Winslow-Needham zoning case. He noted that, after the nurserymen had won an initial victory in the superior court of Massachusetts, the decision was appealed to the state Supreme court. The decision from the latter body is expected to be received early in the month of March.

Mr. Bond then took the zoning case as the basis for some remarks on the subject of community cooperation on the part of nurserymen. Among the items discussed at the Winslow zoning trial were parking facilities, signs, lighting and objectionable loud speakers, and Mr. Bond stated that the nurseryman owes it to his community to take the right course with respect to these and similar situations.

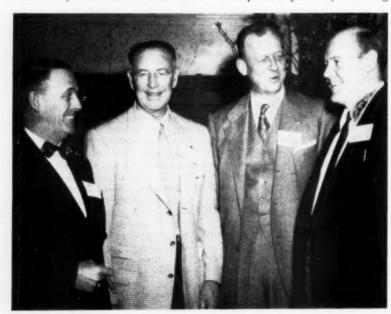
Looking into the crystal ball with respect to the coming year, Mr. Bond took the view that the new administration would succeed in its efforts to continue prosperity while at the same time reducing taxes, with the result that businessmen might look forward to the year with a reasonable expectation of continued satisfaction and profits.

In the realm of public relations, he suggested that the New England Nurserymen's Association sponsor some endeavor designed to show the public that nurserymen have other interests in mind besides their own "selfish problems."

Horticultural Merchandising

The speaking program continued on the morning of Wednesday, February 4, which was educational day. The first speaker was Harry Raben, general manager of the Garden World, Flushing, L. I., N. Y. Mr. Raben gave the New Englanders a rousing talk on horticultural merchandising.

The speaker opened by reviewing



They were there. Prominent participants in the meeting of the New England Nurserymen's Association included Louis Vanderbrook, Arthur Webster, Seth Kelsey and Richard Wyman, Jr., left to right.



Willard M. Bond, left, retiring president of the New England Nurserymen's Association, congratulates his successor, Chester E. Hogan.

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the population trend from the cities to the suburban and semirural areas, and linked with this movement a need for more and more retail horticultural stores. He stated that the suburban garden center is developing at the expense of the mail-order nursery because it is now possible for consumers to purchase their horticultural needs over the counter rather than selecting them from a catalog and ordering them by mail.

The increase in demand for horticultural products has led many persons to plunge into the retail nursery business unprepared, Mr. Raben said. The first essential in operating such a store, he declared, is to plan it thoroughly. Such things as an accessible site, adequate parking facilities and proper physical layout of the property are important.

He discussed the matter of selfservice, stating that the present tendency is to sell as much merchandise as possible on a self-service basis. The advantage of self-service, he pointed out, is that it enables the merchant to serve a larger volume of customers in a given time, and with a smaller investment in sales personnel. The disadvantage is that it leaves the customer on his own and does not give the merchant as much opportunity to sell related items as he would have with personal selling. As a compromise, the speaker suggested what he termed a semiself-service system, which would allow for self-service during peak days and seasons and direct selling at other times.

Merchandising Plan

Mr. Raben then proceeded to discuss the merchandising plan which his firm has developed. "We plan our sales by the season," he stated

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Virginians Push Planting Program

Nurserymen from all parts of the Old Dominion gathered at the Hotel John Marshall, Richmond, February 8 to 10, for the 22nd annual convention of the Virginia Nurserymen's Association. The exceptional weather which has prevailed over most of the nation this winter persisted throughout the time of the meeting and the attendance was excellent.

W. L. Winn, Winn Nursery, Norfolk, was elected president of the association for the coming year. Other officials elected include vice-president, Charles H. Kennedy, Northern Virginia Nursery, Nokesville, and secretary-treasurer, Kenneth Nurseries. Le-Mac McDonald, Hampton. Elected to the executive committee were M. S. McKinney, Hedge Lawn Nursery, Roanoke; George Stockner, Laird's Nurseries, Richmond, Guy and Arnold. Haynesville Nurseries, Bristol, Tenn. J. R. Richardson, Blue Ridge Gardens, Roanoke, the retiring president, became an ex-officio member of the executive committee.

Where Do We Go from Here?

The meeting was called to order Monday morning, February 9, and following the invocation and introduction of guests and exhibitors, Mr. Richardson delivered the president's address. Taking the theme of the convention, "Where Do We Go from Here?", as the basis of his message, Mr. Richardson posed the further question, "What is the aim of nurserymen and the nurserymen's association?"

Answering his own question, Mr. Richardson granted that the accumulation of material rewards is a definite part of the business, as it is with any business, but he felt that service to customers and to the community is of far greater importance. Actually, he said, the achievement of the first goal is far more likely if attention is paid to the second. Really to succeed, he said, nurserymen must consider themselves as servants of the community.

Mr. Richardson next turned his attention to the "Plant Virginia" program, which has captured the interest of a large proportion of Virginia nurserymen. He reviewed the activities which led to the establishment of a separate group, known as the Plant Virginia Association, which was formed to carry out the objectives of the planting program. He stated that the new association

would require some \$3,000 per year to carry on even the most rudimentary promotional program. The realization of this financial goal would mean a contribution of approximately \$30 per year from each nurseryman participating in the programassuming that at least 100 nurserymen are persuaded to join the association. Charter memberships in the Plant Virginia Association were still available as of the time of the Virginia Nurserymen's Association meeting. In closing, Mr. Richardson called upon nurserymen to work for the "Plant Virginia" program in their individual communities through such activities as the distribution of promotional literature.

Nematode Problem

C. R. Willey, associate entomologist for the state of Virginia, next appeared on the program and discussed "The Nematode Problem." Mr. Willey opened his discussion by recognizing the fact that nematodes were not a new problem to the nursery industry, but have been around for some time. There are many kinds of nematodes, he said, but those that are particularly obnoxious to nurserymen are microscopic in size and therefore hard to study. For this reason, he said, relatively little is known about them.

Pursuing this line of reasoning, Mr. Willey concluded that the best way to conquer the nematode problem is through prevention rather than cure. He called upon Virginia nurserymen who purchase stock to obtain that which is, insofar as possible, nematode-free. He remarked that some species of nematodes were introduced into the state of Virginia when rooted cuttings from other states were planted in Virginia.

As a further precaution, Mr. Willey recommended that nurserymen use steam sterilization on all pots, potting soil, propagation benches, etc., and also fumigate fields where stock is to be grown. The speaker acknowledged that these procedures were expensive, but maintained that the results to be achieved would justify the expense. Mr. Willey expressed the hope that some of the newer insecticides will prove to be effective against nematodes. He pointed out that the need is for a substance that will be toxic to the nematodes and not to the plants. He said that Parathion may do the job.

John Siebenthaler Speaks

Activities of the American Association of Nurserymen were brought to the attention of the Virginia audience by John D. Siebenthaler, the Siebenthaler Co., Dayton, O., vicepresident of the A. A. N. Among the programs reviewed by Mr. Siebenthaler were those concerning advertising, group insurance, quarantines, postal rates, market development [Continued on page 51.]



J. R. Richardson, Roanoke, Va., left, retiring president of the Virginia Nurserymen's Association, hands the gavel to the new president, W. L. Winn, Norfolk. Looking on are Charles H. Kennedy, Nokesville, new vice-president, and Kenneth McDonald, Hampton, re-elected secretary-treasurer.

New Jersey Meets at Seashore

By Raymond P. Korbobo

Members of the New Jersey Association of Nurserymen were only recognizing that their own state has one of the finest winter resorts in the nation when they held the association's annual winter meeting at Atlantic City in the Hotel Chalfonte-Haddon Hall, January 29 and 30. The weather, which could have been called balmy, was a good deal better than one can usually expect at this time of the year and permitted leisurely strolls along the city's renowned boardwalk.

This same weather, which was so much appreciated at the convention site, also made nursery operations possible and this undoubtedly kept some of the nurserymen close to their businesses; nevertheless, the attendance was satisfactory and fully representative of the nursery industry in the state as well as of many of the allied trades. Thirty-eight firms answered the early morning roll call on the first day and 37 firms answered an even earlier roll call on the second day. The attendance averaged around 100 at both meetings.

The 2-day meeting included two luncheon speakers, two panel discussions, four speakers, reports of all the committees, a banquet, a cocktail hour, entertainment and dancing. Nominations and elections of new officers also took place.

Officers for the next term are president, Samuel E. Blair, Blair's Nurseries, Inc., Nutley; first vice-president, Russell Bettes, Piedmont Landscape Co., Princeton; second vice-president, Albert Flemer, F. & F. Nurseries, Springfield; treasurer, August C. Kindsgrab, St. Cloud Nurseries, West Orange; assistant treasurer, Charles Ur, Maple Grove Nursery, Montville, and secretary, Raymond P. Korbobo, Rutgers University, New Brunswick.

Opportunities

The Atlantic county agricultural agent, John Brockett, was the luncheon speaker on the first day. Mr. Brockett spoke on "Opportunities." One of his observations concerning opportunities for the nursery trade in the "Garden State" was concerned with the need of many of our older homes for landscape work. Mr. Brockett pointed out that old homes, in the general sense of the word, far outnumbered new homes. He used his own as an example and mentioned that no nuseryman has ever approached him for landscape work on his property. He added, humor-

ously, that he is so busy being a county agent that he would not find time to maintain the landscape work anyway, so perhaps it might not be a good idea to use him for the first call.

It is a fact though, he said, expanding on his last remark, that the "after service" of a landscape job is just as important as the original planting. Here in the east, Mr. Brockett continued, labor is at such a premium that it is most difficult to employ a gardener with experience and proper qualifications to care for a well-landscaped property. Such a type of business is one of the golden opportunities in the field of ornamental horticulture, he said.

Mr. Brockett pointed out that there are thousands of churches, factories, schools, community buildings, range halls, etc., throughout the state which are woefully in need of at least some landscape work.

Mr. Brockett then dwelt for some

time on the highway situation in New Jersey, summing up his appraisal by saying of the highways, "They are good to drive on but poor to look at." This too, he said, offers great opportunities in that there is a need to improve their appearance through the proper use of landscape material.

He urged that the nurserymen in their own communities lead, and work in cooperation with, civic bodies so that early community planting of street trees, parks and playgrounds can be the rule instead of the exception.

Mr. Brockett pointed out that the New Jersey shore area presents a special problem for the landscape man because only certain plants can be grown there without expensive protective devices. He said that research conducted with various plants under these growing conditions would be helpful in finding hardy varieties, but that it might even be necessary to breed new varieties to obtain suitable kinds of material.

He closed his remarks by saying that the nurseryman cannot be satis-[Continued on page 92]

Varied Washington Program

By Carol Wieting

About 90 nurserymen and horticulturists from the northwestern states gathered at the Davenport hotel, Spokane, Wash., January 26 to 28, for the winter meeting of the Washington State Nurserymen's Association. In addition, a substantial part of the second day of the meeting was devoted to a session of chapter 28 of the American Association of Nurserymen.

President R. D. Leamer, Priest Point Nursery, Marysville, presided over the opening sessions and introduced Harold Abbott, the superintendent of parks at Spokane, who delivered the welcoming address. Mr. Abbott expressed his thanks to the nurserymen for the impetus they have given to the cultivation of better gardens all over the state. He added that there still exist opportunities for even closer cooperation between the park departments of the cities and towns and the nurserymen of the state. He said that he hoped these opportunities would be exploited by both groups.

After this, President Leamer introduced Howard Andrews, Mountain Meadow Nursery, Monroe. Mr. Andrews listed several reasons why nurserymen of the area should belong to the Washington State Nurserymen's Association. Chief among these, he said, were the chances of meeting other nurserymen.

Following Mr. Andrews' talk a panel discussion was presented on recent changes in plant materials and the uses of some of the newer varieties. On the panel were L. H. Mc-Guire, Puget Sound Nursery & Garden Shop, Tacoma; Vic Mix, Campus Nursery, Seattle, and Bryan Taylor, Taylor Nursery, Seattle. Mr. Taylor said that plants should be grouped more in the garden and that nurseries would find it advantageous to prepare seasonal displays of well-chosen plant materials in their nurseries. Mr. Taylor gave his opinion that there should be easily read labeling and pricing markers on nursery stock to speed up sales.

Modern Spray Materials

Following an intermission, Wayne McKinley spoke to the group on "Modern Spray Materials and How to Use Them." After a short discussion of these materials, with words of caution on their use, Mr. McKinley spent some time describing a way of improving credit relations with customers. The method he adduced would leave most of the credit prob-

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Oregon Meeting Offers New Ideas

By James A. Doty

With mild winter weather allowing travel from all parts of the state, the Oregon Association of Nurserymen realized an excellent attendance at its midwinter meeting and the program for this annual event offered new ideas and new incentives to the nurserymen in attendance.

The 2-day meeting, held on January 28 and 29 at the Multnomah hotel, Portland, opened with the regular business session which included committee reports from all standing committees as well as a complete report and a panel discussion on the Oregon association's market development and publicity program. The feature attraction of the first day's session was a talk by Walter L. Doty, of Menlo Park, Calif., editor of Sunset Magazine. His theme was the trends of western living and their effect on nurserymen. Mr. Doty began his talk by explaining that the western trend began with movements of the population westward as early as 1849. The population settled and fads came and went with the times, but a few durable styles were created which in turn created trends of western living. Practical styles have always been developed by new civilizations, and the westerners likewise favored practicality and simplicity in their homes, furnishings and gardens.

The past 15 or 20 years, Mr. Doty continued, have seen a marked speedup in the development of practical gardening and outdoor living. The shorter work week has given people more time to be garden conscious. They have had time to enjoy their surroundings and the development of the outdoor living room is one practical result.

Continuing on this theme, Mr. Doty emphasized that people still have not looked far enough into the future and have curtailed their garden enjoyment by limiting their planting. The western homeowner could develop the outdoor living room much further, he suggested, by



At the Oregon meeting, A. Lynn Brooks, center, president of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen, reviews some material with Bryan Taylor, left, and Walter L. Doty, right, speakers on the program.

using plant materials of various climatic types, including some suitable to more than one area.

Walter Doty, as editor of Sunset Magazine, is concerned about the nurseryman and his problems. He explained at some length Sunset Magazine's plan to encourage the use of better and finer plant materials, some new and some wellknown in nurseries at present. The magazine's plan includes a system of indexing locations of stock in order to advise retailers where certain plant materials can be obtained in advance of feature articles about them. The publication expects to continue this extensive project and to develop an advisory board of nurserymen and other plantsmen to act as authorities on plant materials in specific areas. This board could recommend, test and further encourage the sale and development of plant materials about the home. As Mr. Doty stated, "Sunset Magazine's plan is to develop better, greater and more varied use of plant materials," and, of course, this would be of great benefit to nurserymen.

In concluding his talk, Walter Doty urged the nurserymen to put more of their products to use, to continue to advertise to the public and to try to put themselves on an equal footing with competitors such as the lumbermen, washing machine dealers, etc. As a suggestion to retail nurseries, he urged a "Visit Your Nursery" month where the public could see plant material as it can be used, and as it appears at its best. Mr. Doty predicted the growth of the self-service type of nursery operation in most of the country's nurs-

ery yards and he foresaw a continued demand for plants.

New Plant Materials

The meeting room was crowded on the second morning of the Oregon association's meeting, as President Lynn Brooks brought the session to order and introduced Bryan . Taylor, of the Taylor Nurseries, at Seattle Wash., who spoke on "New, Practical and Interesting Plant Materials." Of most practical importance to those present was the forceful reminder that we are not up-to-date in our marketing methods. As an example, Mr. Taylor cited many of the now complete gardens about homes which nurserymen allow to remain unchanged except for the addition of a few different annuals each year. He urged nurserymen to develop new and varied methods of using plant materials in the garden and outdoor living area. The nurserymen should instill in the minds of their customers the idea of enjoying the beauty of the garden and, to maintain customer's interest, should keep up-todate in the shrub world.

Mr. Taylor felt that retail yards in the northwest should be dressed up with more complete labeling to give the visiting customer more information. In line with this, the retail salesman should show enthusiasm for individual varieties that he wishes to push. "Enthusiasm and a smile," he said, "are worth a good many dollars in salesyard intake." Summing up his ideas on marketing methods, he stressed the point that there has never been any sales or price resistance to quality stock.

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Hold Long Island School

By Clarence E. Lewis



Speakers at the annual school for nurserymen and estate superintendents held at Farmingdale, N. Y. Left to right, Paul Cocklin, Dr. A. M. S. Pridham, Dr. John Cornman and Dr. John Naegele, all of Cornell University.

The annual 1-day combined nurserymen's and estate superintendents' school, sponsored by the agricultural agent of Nassau county, New York, was held January 28 at the Long Island Agricultural and Technical Institute, Farmingdale, N. Y. The meeting was held in conjunction with the extension service of the New York State College of Agriculture, part of Cornell University, Ithaca.

James McFaul, the assistant county agricultural agent, did an excellent job of bringing an informative program to the 100 persons attending. The entire program ran smoothly, thanks to Mr. McFaul's planning, but he did forget to speak to the weatherman since it rained hard enough in the morning to wash away the eagerness of those who would have traveled from a distance.

Common Tree and Shrub Diseases

Paul Cocklin, of Cornell University, was first introduced by Mr. Mc-Faul. A pictorial presentation of common diseases of trees and shrubs provided interest and provoked many questions from the audience. Mr. Cocklin, of the department of plant pathology, emphasized the fact that plants are much more susceptible to disease when, through nursery operations, they have undergone such disturbances as drying and bruising.

Pictures were shown and controls were recommended for a number of diseases. Anthracnose can be controlled by spraying with Bordeaux (8-8-100), with two applications—one, as soon as the buds open, and the second, 10 to 14 days later. All leaves should be removed in the fall and either composted or burned. Mr. Cocklin also mentioned that there is an advantage in spraying before, rather than after, a rain.

Rhododendron leaf spot can also be controlled with Bordeaux (8-8-100), if applied when the new leaves are nearly full size in the spring. Copper sprays are also effective, but spraying should be coupled with the picking of diseased leaves from the ground and plant, and then destroying them. Overhead watering is not suggested when leaf spot is a problem.

Cedar-apple rust can be discouraged by spraying red cedars with Elgetol (1:100) as soon as the spore masses appear and before new growth has started. Two applications are prefered to a single dose. Of course, if the red cedars are moved at least one mile from the apple trees, then the rust is no longer a problem. This is difficult and usually impossible so that, in lieu of transplanting, the apple trees should be sprayed with 76 per cent Ferbam, one half pound. and elemental sulphur, three pounds, (or wettable 5 paste six pounds) per 100 gallons.

Canker of dogwood is treated by removing discolored wood, down to the heartwood if necessary, and also healthy wood for one and one half inches around the edge of the canker. Paint all exposed cambium and wood with orange shellac immediately and thoroughly. Pruning and fertilizing are helpful to the tree's recovery.

For rhododendron root rot and wilt there is no definite control, but rhododendron dieback difficulty is reduced by spraying with Bordeaux (4-4-100) after flowering, and using two applications at least 10 to 14 days apart. The affected twigs should be pruned and shade should be reduced. Planting near lilacs is not recommended.

Dr. Naegele Features Quiz on Insects

When Mr. McFaul introduced Dr. John Naegele, of Cornell University, and announced his topic, "Back to School," nurserymen were surprised to find that they were to take part in a quiz. It was so well-presented that the nurserymen afterward spoke of how much they had learned and how little they had known about insects and their effects. "Back to School" proved to be a peppy part of the day's program.

Excellent Kodachrome slides showed various stages of insect growth and the injuries they inflict. The slides were shown with no comment except a brief description of the picture and sometimes a word about the type of plant infested. After one showing of the pictures, they were reshown in the same order and the insects and injuries were named by Dr. Naegele. The series included bagworm, maple leaf bladder gall, spider mite on blue spruce, birch leaf miner, rosy apple aphis injury, hawthorn foliage injury caused by lace bugs and lace bugs on rhododendron. The best control for this last infestation is one pound of 25 per cent Lindane wettable per 100 gallons when the small nymphs can be seen, which is usually about May 20 on the rhododendrons and June 1 on the hawthorns. A second spray should be applied 10 days later.

Other interesting slides showed the galls caused by the eastern spruce aphis and those caused by the Sitka spruce aphis. The galls resulting from the former were wormed at the bases of the new stems, while the latter showed the galls at the tips of the branches. Both can be controlled by spraying in warm weather, before the buds open, with two and one-half gallons of lime-sulphur, one pint of nicotine sulphate and three pounds of soap per 100 gallons. Late September or early October sprays of the same materials are also effective in controlling second generations.

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Lewis Barr Heads Pennsylvania Group

By R. P. Meahl

Lewis E. Barr, B. F. Barr & Son Nurseries, Lancaster, was elected president of the Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association at the meeting of the association held at York, Pa., February 4 and 5. Other officers elected included first vice-president, Albert F. W. Vick, Jr., Vick's Wildgardens, Narberth; second vice-president, Jesse R. S. Flory, LaBar's Rhododendron Nursery, Stroudsburg, and secretary-treasurer, Wilbur I. Nisley, Walter, Nisley & Walter, Harrisburg.

New members of the executive committee are Lloyd W. Nolt, Nolt's Ponds, Silver Springs, and Robert L. Hood, Andorra Nurseries, Conshohocken, for two years, and Ira H. Frontz, Quality Nurseries, Allenwood, for one year.

Forum on State College

The meetings opened Wednesday morning, February 4, with a forum on "Making Better Use of Our State College Facilities," with R. P. Meahl, professor of ornamental horticulture, as moderator, and Dr. Russell E. Larson, head, department of horticulture; A. O. Rasmussen, ornamental horticulture extension; J. O. Pepper, entomology extension, and H. R. Albrecht, head, department of agronomy, as panel members, all of the Pennsylvania State College staff.

Dr. Larson explained the program of the horticulture department in its teaching and research phases. This program is not so extensive as it should be, but must compete with other agricultural interests for support. He stated that the three large agricultural interests, based on growers' returns, were agronomic crops, dairy and poultry. Individually, the various horticultural interests, such as vegetables, floriculture, fruit or nursery do not compare favorably in total cash returns with any of the above and, consequently, do not receive as much support.

If, however, the crops of the horticultural interests are combined, they do compare favorably. Dr. Larson urged that all horticultural groups coordinate their efforts by forming a horticultural council made up of three members from each group. This combined council would meet annually or semiannually to decide where in horticulture the emphasis should be and then all the groups would work together. At an-

other time some other phase would be stressed.

Professor Rasmussen told of the work conducted by the extension service. He emphasized the importance of the home grounds improvement demonstrations and the establishment of horticultural workshops in various communities. Membership lists of the Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association and Western Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association are furnished to the persons attending these workshops and they are urged to purchase their material from Pennsylvania nurserymen. The extension service is also aiding in the soil testing program.

Although extension work has been

conducted in Pennsylvania for 40 years, there are still many persons not familiar with the proper procedure to secure help, according to J. O. Pepper. He said that time could be saved by contacting the county agent first. Television has been used to spread information regarding newer materials for insect control.

Dr. Albrecht said there had been over 8,000 soil tests in all fields and urged greater use of these tests by nurserymen to help in solving their soil problems. He explained the work of the agronomy department in soil and fertilization research which is, and will continue to be, of value to

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Speakers on Pennsylvania Program



R. P. Meahl





John D. Siebenthaler



Raymond P. Korbobo



Cuttings of Acer palmatum atropurpureum novum taken July 10, 1952, and photographed August 28. The

wood at this time was too firm and percentages were poor. Mid-June would seem to be the best time.

Pointers on Propagation • Importance of Juvenility

By James S. Wells

At the 1951 meeting of the Plant Propagators' Society those in attendance had the benefit of an excellent talk by Prof. F. L. O'Rourke on the question of juvenility. It was reprinted in full in the proceedings of that year. This question of juvenility is one which is not often considered in any detail by the average propagator and yet it can be of great value in the propagation of certain plants, particularly some which have earned the reputation of being "difficult." In the discussion which followed Professor O'Rourke's lecture this point was emphasized by many growers, who reported the practical value of taking cuttings of a juvenile type from certain plants to obtain good stands of cuttings.

We ran into a somewhat surprising example of this in our propagation of magnolias this past summer. For the past four years we have taken cuttings from all available stock plants in our vicinity. These included a planting of eight large trees of M. soulangeana which are well over 20 feet high. We had noticed that cuttings taken from these large trees never rooted well, the successes sometimes being not more than 40 per cent and invariably low. Nevertheless our annual production steadily increased and in the summer of 1951 we rooted a fine batch of over 20,000 magnolias of all types. These were planted out early

in the spring of 1952 and by the middle of June we had nine long beds of strongly growing liners. They were on new land so that growth was vigorous.

Early in July we commenced to take our normal batches of magnolias, starting as always with cuttings taken from the old-established trees. The quantity available was small, and so within a day or so we decided to switch to the young, strongly



Hard cuttings of Taxus cuspidata nana (brevifolia) showing the type of rooting which may be expected from cuttings taken from old and completely hard wood. Cuttings were taken December 17 and photographed at the end of March.

growing liner beds, taking soft terminal shoots. These cuttings were exceedingly soft but the difference in the percentage of rooting and the speed of rooting between these and the cuttings taken from the old plants was most marked. Despite all the aids to rooting—hormones, constant mist, bottom heat and so on—at least 80 per cent of the old cuttings died while the young and extremely soft ones rooted rapidly and much more vigorously.

The rapidity of rooting was of immediate consequence because we were able to lift this batch 99 per cent strongly rooted in five weeks and pot them. The quick establishment of rooted magnolia cuttings in the pots and the initial movement of the cuttings towards top growth we consider important factors in bringing the young plants through the winter. Speed of rooting enables cuttings to be potted at an earlier date, which thus allows more growing time for the cuttings to prepare for the winter. An intangible resultyet a real one, as any propagator will know-is the general "zip" and vigor with which juvenile cuttings root. It was a pleasure to see this batch of vigorous cuttings thrusting up to new growth with an equally vigorous root system beneath.

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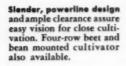
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Plant Notes Here and There

By C. W. Wood

A newcomer to the trade of about five years writes that he has trouble growing columbine plants to match the superb quality of some that he sees on private estates in his part of Massachusetts and wonders what is wrong with his method. He is not the only commercial grower that has run into that difficulty, as you can prove to yourself by looking at the columbine plants in your competitors' nurseries and maybe, though I hope not, in your own. I distinctly remember my own troubles along that line in my early plant-growing days, when I was really ashamed of the scrawny plants that I had to offer every spring. I remember, too, that I took my problem to a columbine specialist, whose advice was:

If one begins with good seeds of a good strain of hybrid columbines, the next requisite of success is to grow the plants without check from the emergence of the embryo until blooming time, because a columbine plant once stunted never can hope to put on the brilliant performance of which the well-grown product is capable. One should start the seeds into growth during cool weather, preferably in early spring, according to my experience. Transplant them before they become crowded in the seedbed, always using a light soil containing an abundance of humus. Move them to their final quarters before they are too large, and never let them suffer for lack of moisture.

Such a program, which sounds more arduous than it really is, should repay many times for the effort put forth. It should be borne in mind, however, that most modern strains contain too much Rocky mountain columbine blood to be long-lived. So one must expect a fairly high mortality among the plants and be prepared to replace them yearly. That calls for a steady supply of recruits to fill the ranks as the aged ones drop out, and it means that the nurseryman must have a constant supply of 1-year plants to meet the demand.

Silene Maritima

Anyone who lets familiarity keep him from enjoying Silene maritima is missing one of the better catchflies and an important garden plant. It will make itself at home almost anywhere in sun or part shade, adding the beauty of its soft, gray leaves and inflated, white flowers over much of

the summer. Given good living, it will become lean and lank, losing much of its charm; let its food and moisture be reduced (it can subsist on little of either when once established) and it remains a compact, lovely thing. It is a plant of a myriad uses, not only in the rock garden and wall, as one would naturally expect from the literature, but also for edge and forward positions in flower and shrub borders, where a plant of its low (two to four inches) stature could find a place. There is a double-flowered form, the ludicrous attempt of which at being a carnation appeals to many gardeners. There are also two or three so-called pink forms, that are more pink by courtesy than in fact so far as I am acquainted with them. Propagation of the type is easy from seeds; the double-flowered and the

pink kinds are best grown from cuttings of new growths in spring or from divisions.

Veronica Filiformis

This little Oriental version of veronica has most of the good points of the better kinds of creeping speedwells, and, in addition, it possesses some features which are lacking in the others. I can easily see, judging from its behavior here, that it could make a nuisance of itself in a moist garden, but it is not likely to bother anyone who has a dry soil to contend with. In fact, I find it difficult to keep it going here unless it is planted where the hose can reach it. Being shallow-rooting, it cannot withstand much drought, yet it does not require a large amount of moisture to make it cover wide areas with its tiny leaves on threadlike

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stems, which are hidden under a canopy of light sky-blue flowers for close to two months in spring. Its shallow roots and low stature (it is scarcely an inch tall as it grows here in northern Michigan) make an ideal ground cover, especially for small, hardy bulbs which react strongly to voracious feeders over and around them. It is, in fact, a good plant for almost any situation in sun or light shade where a rampant creeper is wanted. Propagation is easy from divisions, from cuttings at almost any season and from seeds.

Gerardia

Answering a Pennsylvania reader who asked for cultural directions for Gerardia laevigata: I regret that I can offer no positive encouragement for its culture. Although I have tried it repeatedly under varying circumstances, permanent success has not yet attended my efforts. I have heard of its cultivation by a New Jersey gardener, but never saw the growing schedule set forth and could not verify the story. On the negative side, two testimonies are offered be-

William Robinson, the great English authority, wrote as follows: "I have never, either in garden or in the wild land or in the Alpine mountains, where beauty of plant life is at its highest, seen anything that struck me more than a gerardia I once met with on a roadside in New Jersey growing abundantly here and there like a little tree in habit, 15 inches to 18 inches high, bearing most graceful miniature pentstemonlike flowers, but far more refined in color and distinct in form than any pentstemon. Naturally I asked why such a plant was not in cultivation, and learnt that the gerardias are mostly parasites on the roots of other plants. In spite of this, I brought home some seeds of one or two kinds and sowed them where I thought they would have some chance, but nothing ever came of it."

Herbert Durand, one of America's best students of native plants, gave this report: "There are several species of attractive wild flowers that are more or less parasitic; that is, they obtain at least part of their nourishment by fastening upon the roots of neighboring plants and stealing their juices. The smooth and downy false foxgloves, which frequent dry woods and display handsome yellow tubular blossoms in summer, the painted cup, whose flaming scarlet terminal bracts resemble glowing tongues of flame among the green meadow grasses and the lovely

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	Chamaecyparis Obtusa, 3-yr., T., 4 to 8 ins	.06	.05	2000	.Taxus Cuspidata Capitata, 2-yr., S	.12	.11
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000	8 to 10 ins	.30	.25	3000	Thuja Occidentalis, 2-yr., S., 2 to 5 ins	.04	.03
3000	Cornus Florida (light), 1-yr., S., 6 to 10 ins		.04	500	Thuja Occidentalis Boothi, 2-yr., T	.30	.06
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	Cornus Florida Rubra, pot grafts	.45	.421/2		_ 6 to 10 ins	.35	
	Crytomeria Japonica Lobbi Compacta, pot grafts	.60		400	Thuja Occidentalis Columbia, TT., 12 to 15 ins.	.55	.50
	Cydoria Japonica, 1-yr., S	.05	.031/2	400	Thuja Occidentalis Compacta, 2-yr., T.,		
2000	Cydonia Japonica, 2-yr., S	.081/2	.071/2	***	6 to 10 ins	.30	.25
	Euonymus Patens, 2-yr., T	.35	.30	800		.30	.25
1000	Euonymus Radicans (Fortune), Tr., 8 to 10 ins. Euonymus Radicans Coloratus, Tr., 10 to 12 ins.	.35	.30	400	Thuja Occidentalis Douglasi (Spiralis), 4-yr.,	***	-
600	Euonymus Radicans, Variegated, T., 6 to 10 ins.	.35	.30	100	TT., 15 to 18 ins	.70	.60
	Fagus Sylvatica Riversi, 1-yr., grafts,	*****		400	6 to 10 ins	.30	.25
	18 to 24 ins	2.00		300	Thuja Occidentalis Globosa, 2-yr., T., 5 to 9 ins.	.30	.25
3000	Forsythia Spectabilis, 1-yr., C	.07	.06	300	Thuja Occidentalis Lutea (Geo. Peabody),		
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	Juniperus Pfitzeriana, pot grafts	.45		1000	pot grafts		.421/2
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200	Juniperus Pfitzeriana Kallay Compacta,	***			6 to 10 ins	.30	. 25
005	pot grafts	.45		250	Thuja Occidentalis Wareana Plicata,		
200	Juniperus Squamata Meyeri, pot grafts	.45	.03		2-yr., T., 5 to 10 ins	.30	
2000 3000	Larix Kaempferi, 2-yr., S	.04	.031/2	1000	Thuja Occidentalis Woodwardi,		
1500	Ligustrum Ibota, 1-yr., T., 9 to 18 ins	.07	.06		2-yr., T., 5 to 10 ins		.25
5000	Ligustrum Ovalifolium (light),				Thuja Orientalis Aurea Nana, 2-yr., grafts		.50
2000	1-yr., 12 to 18 ins	.04	.031/2	10,000	Tsuga Canadensis, 2-yr., S., 3 to 4 ins	.06	.05
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	12 to 18 ins	.75	× 4 2	1000	TT., 10 to 12 ins	.40	.35
	Mahonia Aquifolia, 2-yr., S., 4 to 6 ins	.10	.071/2		TT., 12 to 15 ins	.55	.50
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	Malus Purpurea Lemoinei, 1-yr., grafts, 2 to 3 ft.	.35	0.0	200	Viburnum Dilatatum, 1-yr., S., 8 to 10 ins Viburnum Dilatatum, 2-yr., T	.07	.06
	Philadelphus Virginalis, 2-yr., T., 15 to 18 ins.	.30	.25	2000	Viburnum Molle, T., 6 to 9 ins	.08	.071/2
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	Picea Excelsa, 3-yr., S., 4 to 9 ins	.04	.031/2	500	Weigela Vaniceki, 1-yr., 12 to 18 ins.	.20	
3000	Picea Excelsa, 3-yr., TT., 12 to 15 ins		.25	200	Weigela Vaniceki, 1-yr., 18 to 24 ins	.30	
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20	Malus Adamsi, 3 to 4 ft		600	Ampelopsis Lowi, 3-in. pots	
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155	5 to 6 ft		700	Ampelopsis Veitchi, 2-yr., No. 1	,
250	extra-heavy, 5 to 6 ft		300	Ampelopsis Veitchi, 3-yr., No. 1)
	Malus Hopa, 4 to 5 ft				1
260	5 to 6 ft	1.50		Celastrus Scandens, 2-yr., No. 1	,
100	extra-heavy, 5 to 6 ft	. 2.50	50	Clematis Henryl, 2-yr., No. 1	
	Morus Alba, 2 to 3 ft	40	100	Clematis Jackmani, 2-yr., No. 1	
150	4 to 6 ft		50	Clematis Mme. Ed. Andre, 2-yr., No. 1	
100	6 to 8 ft		200	Clematis Mme. LeCoultre, 2-yr., No. 1	
100	8 to 10 ft			Clematis Montana Rubens, 2-yr., No. 1	
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	Populus Nigra Italica, 8 to 10 ft		5.0	Clematis Ramona, 2-yr., No. 1	
400	Populus Nigra Italica, 10 to 12 ft	1.25	200	Clematis Ville de Lyon, 2-yr., No. 1	
100	Prunus Serrulata Kwanzan, 6 to 7 ft	4.25		Hydrangea Petiolaris, 2-yr., potted	
200	Salix Babylonica, 5 to 6 ft	. 1.50	700	Lonicera Halliana, 2-yr., No. 1	
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300	Salix Blanda, 6 to 8 ft	1.25	200	Lonicera Heckrotti, 2-vr., No. 1	
500	Salix Blanda, 8 to 10 ft	. 1.50	200	Lonicera Sempervirens, 2-yr., No. 1	
150	Salix Niobe, 8 to 10 ft	. 1.50	115	Lonicera Semp. Magnifica, 2-yr., No. 1	
50	Sorbus Americana, 4 to 5 ft	2.00	100	Polygonum Auberti, 2-yr., No. 1	
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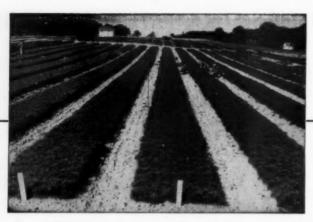
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6 to 8 ft	200	3 to 4 ft	
ronia Brilliantissima, 4 to 5 ft	292	Philadelphus Albatre, 2 to 3 ft	
S to 10 11	345	4 to 5 ft. Philadelphus Albatre, 2 to 3 ft. Philadelphus Albatre, 18 to 24 ins. Philadelphus Blouquet Blanc, 3 to 4 ft. Philadelphus Coronarius, 18 to 24 ins.	
ronia Melanocarpa, 2 to 3 ft	165	Philadelphus Coronarius 18 to 24 ins	
iddleia Charming, No. 1	300		
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ddleia He de France, No. 1	20 32	Philadelphus Enchantment, 2 to 3 ft. Philadelphus Glacier, 2 to 3 ft. Philadelphus Glacier, 3 to 4 ft. Philadelphus Grandiflorus, 18 to 24 ins.	
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3 to 4 ft	75	Philadelphus Grandiflorus, 18 to 24 ins	
dycanthus Floridus, 18 to 24 ins	300	2 to 3 ft	****
ragana Arborescens, 2 to 3 ft	500	Philadelphus Virginalis, \$300 per 1000, 18 to 24 ins	
ethra Alnifolia, 12 to 18 ins	300	\$400 per 1000, 2 to 3 ft	
ethra Alnifolia, heavy, 2 to 2½ ft	500 165	3 to 4 ft	
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raus Amomum, 4 to 5 ft	50	Rhodotypos Kerrioides, 2 to 3 ft	
rnus Paniculata, 2 to 3 ft	75	Prunus Triloba, 4 to 5 ft. Rhodotypos Kerrioides, 2 to 3 ft. Rhodotypos Kerrioides, 3 to 4 ft. Rosa Rugosa Alba, 18 to 24 ins.	****
rnus Stolonifera Lutea, 18 to 24 ins	130	2 to 3 ft	
3 to 4 ft	108	3 to 4 ft. Rosa Rugosa Rubra, 12 to 18 ins.	
toneaster Horizontalis, pots, 9 to 12 ins	935	Rosa Rugosa Rubra, 12 to 18 ins	
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donia Japonica, 12 to 18 ins	200	Salix Discolor, 2 to 3 ft. Salix Discolor, 3 to 4 ft. Sambucus Nigra Aurea, 3 to 4 ft.	
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utzia Wateri, 2 to 3 ft	250 300	2 to 3 ft	
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	600	Spiraen vannouttei, 18 to 24 ins	
onymus Bungeanus, 3 to 4 ft	300	2 to 3 ft. Spiraca Vanhouttei, heavy, 3 ft.	****
onymus Europaeus, 4 to 5 ft	50	Symphoricarpos Chenaulti, 18 to 24 ins	
to 3 ft	250	2 to 3 ft	
to 4 ft	180	3 to 4 ft Symphoricarpos Racemosus, 18 to 24 ins	
to 3 ft	200	2 to 3 ft	
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	250	2 to 3 ft	
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to 4 ft	50	Charles X, 2 to 3 ft.	
to 5 ft	50	Marie LeGraye, 2 to 3 ft	
sythia Ovata, 12 to 18 ins	100	Mrs. Edward Harding, 2 to 3 ft	
8 to 24 ins	75	Syringa Josikaca, 12 to 18 ins.	
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to 4 ft	50	Syringa Persica Alba, 18 to 24 ins	
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rsythia suspensa, 2 to 3 ft	100 1	3 to 4 ft	
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The foregoing remarks probably refer to the yellow-flowered species, three or four in number, including the annual or biennial G. pedicularia, but may also apply to rosy-purple kinds, which seem less delicate. But of that I cannot say because all have behaved poorly for me.

Sabatia

As I was writing the foregoing note on gerardias, a letter came from that fine New England horticulturist. Wilfrid Wheeler, containing seeds marked Sabatia chloroides fernaldi and a note on the plant as follows: "This is the Cape Cod type of chloroides and is by far the best of the group. It is really a remarkable flower, blooming in July and August. and in places where it does well it covers the edges of shallow ponds and grows along the edges of fresh marshes. I have grown it in the garden where there is plenty of moisture. I am not sure of its hardiness, but as it is usually covered with water in the winter it should go through in many places. This type fernaldi was named for Dr. Fernald and is far larger and better in color than chloroides. I hope that you can find someone that will plant it on the edge of a shallow pond where the bottom is peaty."

Thanks to Mr. Wheeler for the seeds, part of which will be in the only marshy place we have on the place. As he was generous when he measured out the seeds, I shall be glad to share them with a few other experimenters who have suitable growing conditions. It also prompts a few words on the genus as a whole.

The books tell us that sabatia (also spelled sabbatia at times) is made up of 15 to 20 species, mostly confined to the United States but extending as well into Cuba, I believe. Had they been less exacting in their requirements, the showier kinds, which include the species and its varieties mentioned by Mr. Wheeler, would no doubt be popular in gardens. But, generally speaking, they have little quirks which would not endear them to the busy gardener. Thus, Sabatia angularis, known in this state as bitterbloom and squarestem sabatia. is, contrary to what one reads, no more than a biennial. And gardeners do not take kindly to biennials unless they are outstanding. On the other hand, true perennials, such as S. lanceolata appears to be, may not be showy with their small white flow-

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ers and may further complicate matters by demanding a moist acid soil. But then there are others like the showy, rose-colored S. dodecandra. which seems to be the name favored by botanists for the plant which Mr. Wheeler and I were taught to call chloroides, with a somewhat tolerant disposition. The type grows to 18 inches in height (it is said to reach two feet in its home in the marshes and ponds, which are sometimes brackish, along the Atlantic coast) and produces large (up to two inches or more across), pale rose, yelloweyed flowers from July to September. Apparently all it needs is moisture, though it may demand slight acidity to make it permanent. Years ago I had a plant from Massachusetts under the label of S. kennedvana which was indistinguishable from the type as I had known it, except that the vellow eye may have been larger. I am happy to hear about variety fernaldi and look forward to seeing something really good.

Acleisanthe

Some 15 years ago, after growing a member of the four-o'clock family known to botanists as Acleisanthe longiflora, I wrote a glowing account of the experience, hoping that the enthusiasm would induce southern growers to search it out and offer it to their clients. I was surprised then (but not too much) to find, when I tried to locate a source of supply last summer, that it is still unknown to nurserymen. So I am repeating the note that I find in my garden book of 1940 with the hope again that some Texas reader will make it available for propagation. I say Texas reader because that is the only state known to me where it is found, though it may skip over into New Mexico and Oklahoma (I do not have good local floras of those two states), but Gates' "Flora of Kansas" does not mention it as occurring there.

The note: I wish I knew how far north a plant I had a few years ago (1934, I think) under label of Acleisanthe longiflora could be grown safely, for it is a most spectacular vine. As I remember it now it reminded me of a trailing datura even though it belongs to the fouro'clock family. It has the long-tubed (six inches or more) white flowers, delightful fragrance and long blooming habit of Datura suaveolens and apparently about the same degree of hardiness, according to experience. Neither is reliable here, though both will go through an ordinary winter under a heavy mulch. It is a plant of much promise

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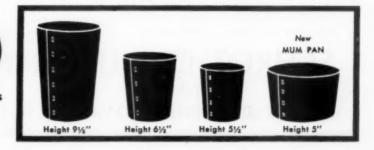
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Alchemilla is a genus of 30 or more species; most of them are of Central and South America and therefore of no use to outdoor gardeners in the temperate zone. And few of the hardy kinds are really exciting plants. None has showy flowers, and. although all have pretty foliage, not more than two that I have grown commercially attracted the attention of customers to the point of buying. One of these, Alchemilla alpina, is a dear little thing, with 5 to 7-lobed leaves, silky above and silvery beneath, and a general appearance of delicacy which is not borne out by its behavior.

If alpine by nature, it must not grow high up the mountains because it does splendidly in any well-drained soil in sun or light shade and is especially lovely in small clusters along a path. Do not make the mistake (a natural one, I suppose, because of the specific name and its delicate appearance) of thinking that the plant has to be coddled in a choice spot in a rock garden, for it will make itself at home in borders or wild gardens.

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Reflections on the Progress and Problems of Nurserymen

By E. Sam Hemming

EDUCATING THE PUBLIC

That our industry is finding it necessary to police its newspaper and magazine advertising may be unfortunate for two reasons. It is obvious that the mistakes of a few can damage the reputations of the many who are honest and ethical. What is also unfortunate is that in correcting the situation we may "educate" the public in the wrong direction. In informing the public to beware of certain faults, we sometimes find that the public takes the facts given it as an absolute doctrine. The practice of horticulture is not an exact science, and many conditions vary the methods of handling plants. Garden magazine writers, speaking as with absolute authority, give readers false im-

I can cite a number of examples. Our firm is mostly a landscape nursery. In handling our plants from our nursery we invariably dig most of our plants, even deciduous shrubs, with a ball, and most customers expect it; they read that it is the best way to handle plants. But should we supply them with a 2-year apple tree or a shrub just shipped in, they will question the lack of a ball. In addition, some few plants, the common Judas tree for instance, are best dug without a ball, and some, like the pecan, cannot be dug with a ball.

Within the past year or so we have had customers come into the office with the statement that any nurseryman that sold budded lilacs, for instance, was the worst kind of crook, because they read that they should plant only own-root propagated plants. The controversy between own-root and grafted plants in the propagation of roses, lilacs, etc., is an old one, but whenever a misguided writer brings up the subject anew it is started all over again.

The same thing is true of the old controversy of seedling versus grafting. Of course, no one would advocate selling a seedling peach, but there are many plants where the hybridization has not been so intense and where seedling variation is not great. Some years ago we obtained some seeds of a flowering crab apple from the Morris Arboretum. There was some variation in the color of the flower and fruit in the progeny. The plants proved extremely popular

with our landscape trade, and I frankly think vegetative propagation would have been silly.

Recently I had a customer tell me that he knew the reason his dogwoods died was because we planted them with a modest amount of commercial fertilizer. Admittedly, we have trouble with the dogwood, but we have planted thousands on the nursery with fertilizer without losing them. The real reason was that the month of July had 20 days with an official temperature between 90 and 100 degrees Fahrenheit and no rain; this was not good for the thin leaves and heat-sensitive bark. Customers are apt to discount all other factors when they are in a mood to heap blame on the nurseryman.

Garden authorities will tell their readers never to plant hollies and Magnolia grandiflora except in the spring. I would say this is good advice in all sections of the country where the ground freezes and stays frozen. In these circumstances drying winds persecute the plants. But we regularly and successfully move these plants in fall and winter. Our usual climate is a winter of freezes and thaws so that a mulched plant rarely has its foliage dried up by the winter winds. Because of the Christmas festivities we sell 75 per cent of our hollies in December.

Nurserymen, too, have a certain amount of rigidity in their thinking. A new fruit comes out and the nurseryman tries to put it in a certain category and handles it like other fruit trees. A pecan, for instance, would hardly benefit from nursery transplanting, and it is conceivable that other plants might behave in the same manner.

The very nature of plant life makes it easy for those with elastic consciences to be dishonest; yet at the same time reputable nurserymen, plantsmen and writers should keep their minds elastic.

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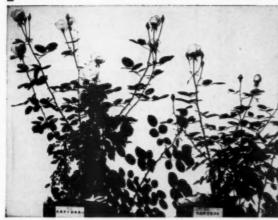
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Laburnum watereri is a hybrid between Laburnum anagyroides and L. alpinum, the Scotch golden chain, and originated sometime before 1864. The generic name, laburnum, is an ancient Latin name and the specific name, watereri, probably refers to Waterer, one of the famous nurserymen of Great Britain.

The bark of the young twigs is green, darkening as the branches become older. The leaves are 3-foliolate, clover-like, and arranged alternately on the twigs. The leaflets are about 1½ to 2¾ inches in length and somewhat hairy, especially on the underside. They are dark green and exhibit no outstanding fall foliage color.

The outstanding characteristic of the plant is the attractive flowers. The flowers are pea-shaped, yellow and borne in pendulous clusters which may be 12 inches or more in length. The flowering period is late May to early June. The cover illustration shows a plant in flower. The fruit is a pod of about two inches in length and is of no ornamental value. Plants are hardy in most of Ohio or similar territory.

Laburnum watereri should be planted in good, well-drained soil and in somewhat protected situations. They will do well in full sun or partial shade. Transplanting should be with a ball of soil and little pruning is normally required. In some regions canker and dieback are so troublesome that the plants can hardly be recommended as satisfactory landscape material. Propagation is usually by grafting but softwood cuttings will root satisfactorily.

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Coming Events

MEETING CALENDAR

March 6 to 8, sixth annual spring garden show, Long Island Nurserymen's Association, Hicks Nurseries, Westbury, L. I., N. Y.

LONG ISLAND GARDEN SHOW

The sixth annual spring garden show, sponsored by the Long Island Nurserymen's Association, will be held on March 6 to 8 at Hicks Nurseries, Jericho turnpike, Westbury, L. I., N. Y. Admission to the show will be 75 cents and the proceeds will be given to the Nassau county chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. Members of the Long Island association will exhibit spring gardens and garden clubs from all over Long Island will enter competitive arrangements.

A limited amount of display space for the show remains and all requests should be addressed to Charles Mouquin, McCoun's Lane, Glen Head, N. Y. Space for commercial exhibitors costs \$1 per square foot; booths will be 10 feet in depth and any desired width.

CHERRY BLOSSOM FESTIVAL

The cherry blossom festival committee has set April 8 to 12 for Washington's annual springtime celebration, and it hopes the blossoms will wait. The date is a week later than usual because Easter comes early this year and the committee did not want to hold its show in Easter week.

Another cause for worry is the unusually warm weather that has had blossoms peeking out now and then for the last month or so.

Edward J. Kelly, superintendent of National Capital Parks, says it is better than a 50-50 chance that the Japanese cherry trees along the Tidal Basin will be in full bloom for the festival week-end. But, he says, if they bloom too early, "we'll take the hormone spray out and do everything we can to hold them."

DR. DAVID G. WILSON has been appointed to the staff of the biochemistry department of the Connecticut agricultural experiment station, New Haven, where his first project will be a study of isocitric acid in the leaves of succulent plants. Dr. Wilson recently received a doctor's degree in biochemistry and plant physiology from the University of Wisconsin, and previously studied at the University of Toronto, Canada.

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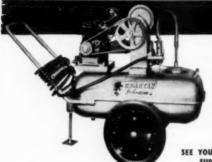
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OBITUARY

A. Ellis Hanson

A. Ellis Hanson, founder of the Mentor Nurseries, Mentor, O., died February 5 at Cleveland, O.

Born in Sweden, Mr. Hanson was a graduate of the universities of Berlin and Vienna and, after emigrating to the United States, the Harvard University school of landscape architecture. Before coming to this country Mr. Hanson had been a landscape architect in the employ of the former Emperor Franz Joseph of the Austrian-Hungarian empire. Also, he had been largely responsible for the creation of the famed gardens of the Rothschild estate at Vi-

After coming to the United States he moved, in 1922, to Cleveland, O. He married Miss Mary Normand Fort in 1926.

He is survived by his widow; two sons, Jack R. and William E., and a daughter, Mrs. Beverly Hopps, of New York.

Dr. William E. Blauvelt

Dr. William E. Blauvelt, 49, nationally known entomologist and professor in the department of horticulture, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., was fatally stricken with virus pneumonia, dying at his home Feb-

Dr. Blauvelt earned his doctorate at Cornell University in 1926, later did further graduate study at the university, and served as professor of entomology there for several years.

Later, he became New York state's first entomologist for the florists' and nursery industries. Noted for his work on insecticides, in 1949 he won an award of the Society of American Florists for his work on Parathion.

Dr. Blauvelt served as secretary of the American Association of Economic Entomologists and was a member of the Entomological Society of America.

Survivors are his widow, Helen; a son, Andrew, and two sisters.

T. G. OWEN & SON, nursery and retail store at Columbus, Miss., were recently awarded a silver medal and a gold medal by Display World magazine for two of the retail store's window displays which were entered in the magazine's 1952 international display contest. The Owen firm also took a first and second award for the magazine's 1952 window display contest for art and flowers.

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QUARANTINE WARNING

Because of certain events the United States Department of Agriculture's bureau of entomology and plant quarantine has evidently decided to enforce strictly its regulation relating to sand, soil and earth. From a lax enforcement, the pendulum swung in the opposite direction recently. Plants received at Hoboken, N. J., were held up if any sand, soil or earth was found on the roots. More strict enforcement of the present regulation is what the American Association of Nurserymen and others have been requesting for some time.

Delays in clearing shipments of nursery stock from abroad can be expected at Hoboken, and in some cases it can be anticipated that clearance will not be granted. In such instances the American nurseryman has two choices—to clean the soil, sand and earth from the roots by washing satisfactory to the inspector, or to notify the shipper that the shipment has been rejected. Cleaning costs should, of course, be charged against the shipper.

POSTAL INCREASE SOUGHT

Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield has formally adopted the proceeding started by his predecessor for a new 35 per cent increase in parcel-post rates.

Former Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson petitioned the interstate commerce commission for such an increase a few days before leaving office. He asserted that the increase was necessary to cover a current deficit in parcel-post operations, and noted that an act of Congress required him to ask for an advance in postal rates under these circumstances.

Sen. Frank Carlson (R., Kan.), chairman of the Senate post office committee, and Sen. Olin D. Johnston (D., S. C.), have introduced a bill to take away from the ICC the power to fix parcel-post rates and place that authority solely with Congress.

A. L. TEAL, of Ilgenfritz Nurseries, Monroe, Mich., was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Ypsilanti (Mich.) Garden Club. The title of his address was "Evergreens and Their Care."

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Keeping West Virginia Green

By F. Waldo Craig

The discussion at both the business meeting and the educational session of the winter meeting of the West Virginia Nurserymen's Association could appropriately be entitled, "Keep West Virginia Green." This meeting was held on February 5 and 6 at the Waldo hotel, Clarksburg.

The principal business discussed concerned a report of the committee appointed to study the means of forwarding the "Plant America" movement in West Virginia, and the topic discussed by the guest speakers concerned the application of water and the retention of water by the soil. These ideas, the use of plants and the favorable growth of plants produced by a more adequate supply of water, add up to a greener West Virginia.

Mr. Dieckmann Reports

The association's committee, with Hans Dieckmann, of John Dieckmann & Sons, Elm Grove, chairman, reporting, had made a study of the other organizations of the state interested in the conservation of the state's vegetation: had accumulated literature on the national organization of "Plant America" and had considered several proposals on possible projects for the nurserymen's association. In the discussion of the report, members pointed out projects under way in their communities for the planting of such places as parks, schools, city entrances, etc. Some speakers listed a few of the embarrassing features they had encoun-tered in cooperating in civic pro-grams and suggested that members guard against repeating such errors. Means of securing financial assistance from civic groups were also discussed.

In his report, Mr. Dieckmann commented on the work of an organization known as the West Virginia Forest Council to Keep West Virginia Green. This included publicity campaigns to secure cooperation of the public in preventing forest fires and in buying tracts of land to set aside as tree farms. He then told of a new movement called "Operations Green Thumb," originated by Leon Estes, Nitro, W. Va., and approved by the West Virginia Forest Council. This operation seeks to organize youth groups, such as Boy Scouts or Future Farmers of America, into work groups for planting trees, cleaning up woodlands or other

forest improvement under supervision of foresters, conservationists, etc. "Operations Green Thumb," using Boy Scouts, planted 6,000 trees last spring and are planning to set 40,000 this spring. Boy Scouts from Fayette county are setting this last group of trees on national forest land.

Pamphlets, reports, forms and other helpful literature available from the public information service of the American Association of Nurserymen were shown to the group during Mr. Dieckmann's report. The above report included information about what other communities had accomplished, suggestions for organizing the planting of such public properties as churches and schools, the committee's opinion about the organization of community projects and a list of the benefits to be derived by the community from such activities.

No action was taken on the committee report and President E. L. Zimmerman, Jr., Lavalette Landscape Nursery, Huntington, asked the committee to continue its studies and to report again at the coming summer meeting.

Purchasing an Irrigation System

Eric B. Beckeman, Beckeman Engineering Sales, Pittsburgh, Pa., spoke to the group and outlined the factors to be considered in purchasing an irrigation system; pointed out the variation in every system in-stalled, and gave examples of increased growth obtained by nurserymen and farmers through irrigation.

Mr. Beckeman stated that centrifugal pumps are the most efficient type of pump, showed how larger pipes reduced the work load by overcoming the friction in the pipe and showed the great work load created

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In his talk, the speaker quoted the benefits derived from the irrigation system installed the past season by Conner & Amos, Inc., Charleston, members of the nurserymen's asso-

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ciation. He showed pictures of the increase in size of plants in blocks that had been irrigated against blocks that could not be irrigated and the uniform stands secured in the beds where rooted cuttings had been lined out. A 75 per cent improvement in stand over former years had been obtained

Atlee Conner, of Conner & Amos, Inc., was present and spoke briefly on the benefits they had derived from their irrigation system. He urged all members to irrigate their nursery stock.

The next speaker, Robert Thornton, zone conservationist, Upper Darby, Pa., analyzed the action of the soil that determines its waterholding capacity, its ability to absorb water, and also explained the fundamental principles of irrigation. This speaker demonstrated the need for irrigation by quoting the number of dry periods recorded in West Virginia during recent years. He also stressed the need for applying enough water to fill the soil and strongly condemned the practice of "surface sprinkling" or "humid air irrigation," as he termed the usual irrigation practices of small property owners.

Start Irrigation Early

Irrigation should be started, Mr. Thornton pointed out, in time to cover the entire area under irrigation before any growth retardation due to lack of proper moisture can take place and to check the water penetration 24 hours after it has been applied to see if more is needed to fill the soil completely. He also cautioned against too rapid a rate of application and stated that irrigation could harm the soil and plants by puddling the soil and driving out the air.

This speaker also spoke briefly on the reclamation of soil banks from strip mining or any extensive excavation. He divided such areas into three classes, areas with a low pH and high pyrite content, areas with a heavy overburden of sandstones and areas composed of calcareous shales. The areas here in Harrison county, West Virginia, are mostly in this last class, Mr. Thornton told the group. He recommended a planting of forest trees, 50 per cent black locust, for the areas mostly sandstone, and stated that lespedeza, sand cherry and multiflora rose were doing all right in the calcareous shales.

Mr. Thornton was introduced to the group by L. L. Lough, state conservationist, Morgantown, and both speakers invited all the members to utilize the personnel in the district

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8 to 12 ins., 3-yr., X	Rhododendron catawbiense,
Cotoneaster horizontalis,	2-yr., beds, X
6 to 12 ins., 2-yr., X	3-yr., field beds, XX
Euonymus carrierei (hedge type).	Rhus cotinus (Smoke Tree),
4 to 8 ins., X, 1-yr	4 to 8 ins., 2-yr., S
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8 to 12 ins., XX, 2-yr	Thuja occidentalis douglasi aurea,
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12 to 18 ins., 3-yr., X	Thuja occidentalis elegantissima
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soil conservation office of the state in solving their soil and water problems.

The program of this meeting was not exclusively devoted to the subject discussed above. There were displays of plant materials and nursery management items arranged in the meeting room, and some time was devoted to a discussion of these exhibits at the evening meeting. Cole Nurseries, Bluefield, displayed 2 and 3-year-old hybrid rhododendrons of domestic and European origin. Lavalette Landscape Nursery; Conner & Amos, Inc., and John Dieckmann & Sons displayed samples of plant materials considered new, especially noteworthy or as illustrating some interest either in their use or in their propagation. Sandy Valley Nursery, Fort Gay, exhibited dogwood seedlings and budded pink dogwood. Conner & Amos, Inc., displayed two types of Howard cultivators and Menno S. Mennes Nurseries, North Tonawanda, N. Y., displayed the tar paper pots which they manufacture. William A. Watson, barberry eradication, United States Department of Agriculture, operated a continuous motion slide machine which reported on the efforts of his office to control black stem rust of small grains by eradication of susceptible types of barberry, and Carlton B. Lees, instructor of ornamental horticulture at West Virginia University, displayed models made by students in his class of property design. These designs developed an area for modern living, following the generally accepted principles of the day.

New Trends in Home Design

Professor Lees, in his comments on the landscape designs, stated, "The change in the concepts of our living needs shifts the emphasis to indooroutdoor living areas. With the newer developments in house design, it is possible to develop an indoor and outdoor living area as a unit, often separated by mere glass. It thus becomes possible to extend our living space into the outdoors to experience the contact with plants, the soil and the sun from which our vitality arises." The speaker then concluded by pointing out how such house designs will demand certain kinds of plantings rather than for the plantings to be optional, as in the

Further business transacted included the selection of Huntington as the convention city for the 1953 summer meeting and a decision to include surplus lists of plant materials in the issue of Nursery Views preceding each meeting. A resolution was

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adopted requesting the state legislature to retain the merit system for the personnel of the conservation commission, and the secretary was instructed to place copies of the request in the hands of legislators most interested in this legislation. The final meeting was a luncheon at the Waldo hotel.

A. A. N. SEEKS PHOTOS

Because of the extreme scarcity of excellent landscaping photographs the American Association of Nurserymen has offered to pay \$10 to any person, whether an association member or not, submitting an acceptable black and white glossy photograph showing landscape treatment of home grounds. In addition, a few exceptional color photographs are desired and these will be paid for when accepted and used in magazine stories on planting. Rate for color photographs will be \$25 each. For the loan of small Kodachrome slides from which a color print may be made, the sum of \$5 will be paid for all slides accepted. The slides will be returned.

The A. A. N. wants clear photographs of foundation plantings, hedges, screening, gardens, backyard treatments, flowering trees or coniferous evergreens in the proper setting, functional border plantings, such as roses along a wall or drive, daylilies, etc. Photographs showing the use of vines, windbreaks, home fruit gardens, etc., may be submitted. Before and after pictures of foundation plantings are especially desired.

The photographs must be accompanied by a blanket statement stating that all photographs are the property solely of the person sending them and the rights are released to the A. A. N. for reprinting and publication. This statement should be signed by the person sending them, and include his address.

Black and white photographs preferably should be 8x10 inches, on glossy paper; color photographs preferably 4x5 inches. Pictures of smaller size, but clear and sharp, may be acceptable.

On the reverse side of each picture (written lightly so as not to mar the print) should be a key to the names of the plants shown on the picture, reading from left to right. Location of the city where the picture was taken also should be given. All photographs not accepted will be returned to the sender. Photographs should be sent to the American Association of Nurserymen, 635 Southern building, Washington 5, D. C.

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Kalamazoo Meeting

By Fred Mc Linden

The first attempt by the Kalamazoo Valley Landscape and Nursery Association to bring together the nurserymen and landscape men from southwestern Michigan at group's regional education meeting, held February 3 at Kalamazoo's Hotel Harris, met with success as the attendance of 70 persons would indicate. The association is only 2 years old, but already has acquired a membership of 40, regular and

Speakers for the afternoon and evening meeting included four faculty members from Michigan State College, East Lansing: Prof. Harold Davidson, horticulture department: Prof. Carter Harrison, farm crops specialist: Edward Andrews, specialist in plant pathology, and Prof. Walter Morofsky, entomology department. In the evening C. E. Morris, formerly of Michigan State College and now landscape architect with the Grand Rapids department of parks, addressed the group.

Visitors from the surrounding area included Ernest Durrant, Durrant Nurseries, Grand Rapids; Art Watson, Arthur L. Watson Nurseries, Grand Rapids; Harold Hunziker, M. J. Hunziker & Sons, Niles; Harold Hicks, Cottage Gardens, Lansing, and John Emerson, Emerson

Nursery, Lansing.

The program for the meeting was under the direction of President Chris Patterer, Urbandale Floral

Shop, Battle Creek.

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p. m. with the introduction by President Patterer of Prof. Carter Harrison, whose subject was lawn seed and lawn building. Professor Harrison contended that only two lawn grasses are ideally suitable for most Michigan lawns. For the wellfertilized deep loam soils in sunny locations he urged the use of a 100 per cent seeding of Kentucky bluegrass. On light soils and soils where shade conditions prevail, Professor Harrison recommended creeping red fescue. Needless to say, much spirited discussion followed from the

The next speaker was Prof. Walter Morofsky. He brought along branches of insect and disease-infected pines, spruces and Douglas firs. He stressed the importance of a proper spray program to combat the many insects and diseases which are taking a heavy toll of the evergreens.

Edward Andrews, the next speak-

er, brought the group up to date on the spread of Dutch elm disease and oak wilt in Michigan. Dutch elm disease, he said, has been definitely found in the Detroit area and in five counties surrounding Detroit. He urged that all dead and dying elm trees be removed and burned to prevent the spread of the elm bark beetle, which carries the deadly fungus. Oak wilt has spread north as far as Muskegon. Colored slides showing the symptoms of the disease were presented. No known cures have been found for oak wilt. All infected trees should be cut down and burned: trenching around the infected trees to a depth of 18 inches is effective in preventing the spread of the disease through root graft.

Prof. Harold Davidson gave a graphic portrayal of various sales techniques. He also urged the education of nursery employees in all work practices so that the employee will have a feeling of confidence in doing his particular job.

Banquet

At 6:30 the members and guests adjourned to the Edgewood room of the Hotel Harris for a tasty banquet. Musical entertainment during the supper hour was provided by the Misses Marjorie and Phyllis Westra. who played the piano and accordion. At the conclusion of the meal, Chris Patterer introduced John Light, newly elected president of the Michigan Nurserymen's Association. Mr. Light in turn introduced out-of-town guests, including a former president of Michigan Nurserymen's Association, Art Watson, Grand Rapids. Harold Hunziker, long active in nurserymen's affairs, spoke on the value of get-togethers such as these and felt that much good can come from discussion of mutual problems.

The speaker for the evening, C. E. "Ed" Morris, Grand Rapids, gave a most excellent talk on plant materials. He illustrated his subject with vivid color slides. He encouraged the use of rhododendrons and azaleas where they can be safely grown in Michigan. He showed what is being done at Grosse Ile, near Detroit, by E. M. Stanton. In his work with the park department of Grand Rapids, Mr. Morris has urged the use of many shrubs and trees which heretofore have been considered not of practical use in Michigan. He said, too, that enough use is not being made of good native material in the landscape work. He suggested the nannyberry, Viburnum lentago; Jersey tea, Ceanothus americanus, and the butterfly milkweed, Asclepias tuberosa.

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In addition to the test gardens, demonstration gardens having the same requirements will also be opened at the N. Van Hevelingen Nurseries, Portland, Ore., with Mrs. Rita Van Hevelingen as director; at Peterson & Dering Nursery, Scap-poose, Ore., with E. "Mike" Dering as director; at California Nurseries, Niles, Calif., with George C. Roeding, Jr., as director; at Germain's. Inc., North Hollywood, Calif., with Milton Whisler as director, and at Thomasville Nurseries, Thomasville, Ga., with Samuel C. Hjort as director. The scores of the demonstration gardens will not be averaged with those of the official test gardens, since some of the demonstration gardens are of an apprentice nature and others are close to the official test gardens and therefore likely to give an overbearing judgment to certain sections of the country.

A. A. R. S. has also announced the availability of a 13-minute colored movie with sound track.

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Twenty All-America Rose Selections won top honors at the nation's rose shows during 1952, according to a recent article in the American Rose Magazine. Most of these were staged under the auspices of the American Rose Society.

Peace, the All-America Rose Selection for 1946, received prizes in 36 shows; Charlotte Armstrong, 1941 winner, received top honors in five shows; Heart's Desire, the 1942 selection, received major awards in two shows; Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, a 1944 choice, received one award, and Mirandy, a 1945 All-America rose, was honored in eight shows. Other 1945 winners which received new

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The 1950 winners were represented in 1952 by Fashion, which won prizes in five shows, and Sutter's Gold, which took a prize at one show.

The most recently available All-America Selections were all represented in the winning lists. Fred Howard took the honors in one show; Helen Traubel starred in another, and Vogue carried off prizes in four other shows.

BEGIN TYLER ROSE STUDY

A 5-year research program on the production, storage and processing of rosebushes was started in February by Consolidated Nurseries, Tyler, and the extension service of Texas A. and M. College. Findings will be given to the entire rose industry.

According to an announcement made February 7 by Edwin F. Tedder and Everett E. Janne, executive vice-president and director of research, respectively, of Consolidated Nurseries, the research will be divided into six parts, as follows:

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Mr. Janne joined Consolidated Nurseries in June, 1952, to direct the firm's part in the research program. Originally from Kansas, he did undergraduate work at Kansas State College, Manhattan, and graduate work at Ohio State University, Columbus. At the latter school he did research on the effects of various temperatures on the survival, growth and flower production of hybrid tea roses. From 1942 to 1946 he was on duty with the First army in Europe and later was recalled to service, being discharged as a first lieu-

Mr. Tedder has been with Consolidated Nurseries since July, 1952. He has been at Tyler since 1934 as a certified public accountant, except from 1943 to 1946, when he was in the navy doing communications work.

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PLANTS UNDER PLASTIC

The successful propagation of hard-to-root plants from cuttings by using a polyethylene plastic covering, a method devised by Lewis F. Lipp, chief propagator at the Arnold Arboretum, Jamaica Plain, Mass., was described in the February 16 issue of Newsweek magazine. Mr. Lipp has been considering the problem for some time and finally chanced upon the idea of using polyethylene plastic to prevent excessive transpiration during the propagation

The article cited Mr. Lipp's success in rooting plants of Taxus baccata fructu-luteo, an ancient and vellow-berried variety of the English vew. Cuttings from a group of these hard-to-root plants were planted without the plastic covering and did not root, as was expected. Another group, covered with the plastic, were still green and sturdy six weeks after they had been cut from their parent tree and were about to root.

For his rooting medium, Mr. Lipp uses a light, airy soil consisting of equal parts of rich peat, sharp sand and fluffs of foamed styrene plastic. Over the cuttings he arches wickets bent from clothes hangers. Over the wire he drapes cheesecloth. Finally, after one thorough watering, he wraps the whole box in a thin sheet of polyethylene plastic. The plants then need no further watering. This technique, Mr. Lipp said, will allow the professional horticulturist to propagate plants by cuttings when ordinarily he would have to resort to slower and more expensive grafting. It should also make propagation a less hazardous venture for the amateur horticulturist, as it eliminates the danger of watering cuttings too much or too little.

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Tree Maintenance

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TREES AND LIGHTNING

One frequently hears a statement made to the effect that oaks are struck more often by lightning than any other tree and that some trees, beeches particularly, are safe. The implication usually is that some mysterious relationship exists between lightning and plant species whereby some trees are spared and others are destroyed. Is such actually the case? Do some trees possess properties that attract lightning bolts, while others are so constituted that they repel it?

In 1936 a committee was appointed by officers of the National Shade Tree Conference to study the effects of lightning on shade trees and to determine, if possible, the influences that govern the type and severity of damage. This committee was headed by A. Robert Thompson, forester, of the National Park Service. The work of the committee consisted of making a nation-wide survey of lightning-struck trees and assembling and analyzing the data gathered. Assisting in this task were 125 collaborating members of the conference located in 29 states and the District of Columbia. During its 10year life, the committee gathered data on 420 struck trees in which were represented 64 species and 30 genera.

The final report of the committee, submitted by Mr. Thompson in 1946 at the 22nd annual meeting of the National Shade Tree Conference and contained in complete form in the conference proceedings for that year, presents some interesting information and conclusions. Of the 420 trees struck, 31 per cent were oaks; 18 per cent, elms; 11 per cent, poplars; 7 per cent, tulip trees; 6 per cent, pines; 5 per cent, ashes, and 4 per cent, maples. The remaining 18 per cent were composed of 23 genera on which fewer than 10 lightning strikes were reported. Incidentally, no beech trees were reported as having been struck. This section of the report, if considered alone, would seem to indicate that there is a certain affinity between oaks and lightning.

Reading further in the report we find, in reference to data presented in tabular form on the trees struck, this statement, "Analysis of these data reveals that 9 per cent of the trees were either standing alone,

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above or even with others (and of these, 84 per cent were of the dominant or codominant genus in the vicinity), while only 4 per cent were lower than associated trees (and of these, 82 per cent were of the dominant or codominant genus in the vicinity). Reversing the data, we find that 80 per cent of the struck trees were standing alone or belonged to the dominant or codominant genus in the vicinity (and of these, 96 per cent were standing alone, above or even with others), while 20 per cent represented a minor genus in the vicinity (and of these, 96 per cent were standing alone, above or even with others).

Mr. Thompson then draws the following conclusion, "From the above analysis, it seems obvious that relative height and dominance of genus or species in the vicinity are the prime factors in determining where and what tree lightning will strike. In other words, if there are more oaks in a given area, more oaks will be struck, and most of the strikes will affect trees at least as tall as neighboring trees. Little or no significance can be attributed to the absence of any genus or species from our list on the basis of present information.'

During the past several years a considerable number of lightning-struck trees have been noted in the forests and sparsely wooded areas of Cook county, Illinois. Although no detailed records have been kept, it has been observed that a large majority of the struck trees were oaks. Supporting Mr. Thompson's conclusions as to the influencing factors, oak is the dominant genus in the woodlands of Cook county. Moreover, most of the trees struck were as tall as, or taller than, surrounding trees.

Exceptions have been noted, however. A silver poplar, standing in the flood plain of the Skokie river and considerably lower in height than other poplars and elms within a radius of 50 feet, was completely demolished by lightning. An elm, partially overtopped by branches from a neighboring tree and dwarfed in height by a huge, old elm not more than 75 feet distant, was the recipient of a lightning bolt which ripped the bark down one of the topmost branches and caused the death. ultimately, of a portion of the crown. Lightning strikes on a black walnut and a black locust, neither of which was as tall as neighboring trees, have been noted. Observations of cases of lightning strike on trees of lesser height than their neighbors have

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SAVE OLD HOLLY GROVE

An old holly tree grove on Fire Island, New York, will be preserved by the action of an anonymous donor.

Richard H. Pough, chairman of the department of conservation at the American Museum of Natural History and president of Nature Conservancy, said the donor had bought the 16-acre tract, containing some of the oldest holly trees in America, for \$26,500.

The option on the tract, which was to have expired recently, was renewed by the new owner in favor of Wildlife Preserves, Inc., a holding corporation fostered by Nature Conservancy. It holds title to another 400-foot stretch of Fire Island beach purchased earlier for \$25,000 as part of the conservation project.

The holly trees, some of them hundreds of years old, dominate the Sunken Forest, a stretch of woodland east of Point o'Woods on Fire Island, a 30 mile sand spit off the south shore of Long Island, accessible only by boat. Nature Conservancy, an organization interested in setting aside unique bits of landscape for conservation, became interested in the project as a possible public pre-

After the purchase of the first 20 acres of the tract, a campaign was begun to raise funds to purchase the remainder. Only \$8,000 had been raised by the time the option expired. Mr. Pough said that with the six months of grace provided by the new option, the group has "every expectation that we can raise the money" to purchase the property.

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After exhaustive tests at 25 trial grounds, scattered throughout the United States and Canada, a maximum of three outstanding gladiolus seedlings will be selected each year, beginning in 1955, as All-America Gladiolus Selections.

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No gladiolus seedlings originated abroad may be entered in the competition unless owned outright by an American firm. All inquiries regarding the new organization and regarding rules governing its trial grounds should be addressed to the executive secretary, Ralph Baerman, 5027 North 35th street, Arlington, Va.

All seedlings will be tested under number and graded by a uniform score card. Actual choice of the first winners will take place in January, 1954, at the annual meeting of the organization, which will take place immediately preceding the North American Commercial Gladiolus Growers' convention, scheduled at Baltimore, Md.

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TULSA, OKLA., NOTES

The planting season opened early this year after an unusually warm winter with little freezing weather up to the middle of February. Some of the nurserymen have been able to plant during most of the winter. What Jack Frost may do before the end of March is, of course, anybody's guess. At present writing buds are dangerously large and tiny leaves are showing on some shrubs.

Demand for planting materials is unusually heavy because an enormous number of homes have been built, and there is a demand remaining from fall, which could not be filled then on account of the severe drought. At that time planting was practically halted save in those locaticns where extensive watering was possible. Surface moisture conditions are much better now, although the subsoil is said to be too dry. Generally speaking, the outlook is favorable.

Hiram C. Hunter, of the Hunter & Sons Nursery, and Jim Campbell, of the Mayfair Nursery, have returned from a buying trip in Arkansas.

Jim Sanseverino, of the Midwest Nursery Co., made a business trip to Texas early in February.

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PLANTINGS of ash trees in the recreation area at Lake Casa Blanca, near Laredo, Tex., were installed by the Riley Nursery & Tree Service, Laredo. The plantings were financed by the Laredo Garden Club as its contribution to the town's beautification project.

FRED HOUSE, owner of Fred's Ornamental Nursery, near Tyler, Tex., was the subject of a recent article in the Tyler Telegraph. Mr. House has been in the nursery business for 27 years.

TEPLEY NURSERIES, Corona, Calif., recently completed a landscaping job around the Manhattan Beach, Calif., armory building.

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VIRGINIA MEETING

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and publicity and the coming national convention at New York.

Mr. Siebenthaler mentioned a booklet published by the better business bureau of Dallas, Tex., which gives details on what constitutes good nursery stock advertising, based on A. A. N. recommendations. Mr. Siebenthaler expressed the hope that other organizations throughout the country would circulate similar material.

In the field of group insurance, Mr. Siebenthaler stated that, as of the time of the Virginia meeting, there were over 700 members in the A. A. N. group insurance plan with over \$2,000,000 in insurance in force. He mentioned that insurance benefits in cases of poliomyelitis will be added during 1953.

Meeting with Plant Board

The vice-president detailed a joint meeting held in January by the quarantine committee of the A. A. N. and the National Plant Board. In a previous separate meeting, the plant board had approved a system of foreign inspection of nursery stock, and had also favored the importation of plants in peat moss balls because of the increased opportunity for plant survival when packaged in this manner. The N. P. B. had also approved of the importation, inspection free, of plant packages valued at less than \$10.

Mr. Siebenthaler made it clear that the American Association of Nurserymen does not approve of any of these principles because of the danger of importation of insects and diseases. The A. A. N. believes that the prevention of the importation of insects and diseases should be the primary consideration when dealing with foreign nursery stock. The National Plant Board, as pointed out above, had utilized the principle of plant survival as the basis for at least one of its decisions.

In support of its case, the A. A. N. has submitted a report by Dr. P. P. Pirone, pathologist of the New York Botanic Garden, to the bureau of entomology and plant quarantine, United States Department of Agriculture. This report, in opposition to the importation of plant material in peat moss balls, states, among other things, that peat moss is not an unfavorable medium for fungi and nematodes.

In the field of market development and publicity, Mr. Siebenthaler noted an interest in an expanded public relations program. This inter-

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est, he said, is based on the premise that the nursery industry must be prepared to maintain and enhance its position in the economy in the case of a business recession. Speaking further on public relations, Mr. Siebenthaler cited the now famous "Plant Ohio" program, which is setting a fast pace in the matter of securing public and official sponsorship of planting activities.

The Monday afternoon session

opened with a film, "Master of the Soil," sponsored by the Esso Standard Oil Co. The film discussed recent advances in agriculture, emphasizing particularly the factors of soil improvement and erosion control.

Dried Arrangements

After the film, the Virginia nurserymen moved to the roof garden of the hotel, where natural light was available for a demonstration of dried arrangements, by Vena Walker, of Exmore, Va. Miss Walker exhibited a series of beautiful and varied arrangements, using dried material exclusively. Of particular interest was the use that she had made of grasses and weeds which grow in abundance along the eastern shore area of Virginia.

She explained to her audience, composed not only of nurserymen but also of many women who had been invited for the occasion, some of the principles involved in the production of dried arrangements. Among the points she emphasized was that flowers for dried arrangements should be cut before they are in full bloom. They should then be dried, hanging upside down, in a dark closet or similar location. In her own home, she uses the attic for this purpose. As to the design of the arrangements themselves, she stated that the basic principles of fresh flower arrangement also apply generally to dried arrangements.

After Miss Walker's talk, the nurserymen remained for an address on "Customer Relations," by Frederick Heutte, superintendent of parks of Norfolk, Va. Mr. Heutte paid high tribute to the nursery in-

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dustry, stating that nurserymen were in a position to mold a new era in America, both economically and socially. To accomplish this, he said, the nurserymen will have to make even stronger efforts to acquaint the buying public with the commodities they handle.

The public is becoming plantconscious, he continued, and wants to know about plants. The public does not mind paying reasonable prices for plant materials when it knows the trouble and expense involved in producing salable plants. He cited the example of one nurscryman who takes all of his customers through his propagating houses and lining-out beds to show them plant production at first hand.

Pointing out that there are more books and magazines on horticultural subjects than ever before, expressing all sorts of opinions, Mr. Heutte stated that it is the nurserymen who should sift and interpret the mass of horticultural information now available and pass on the usable material to the public.

The nurseryman has a responsibility to sell to a buyer only those plants which fit his needs. The public should be educated as to the merits and demerits of the various plants and should never be sold a plant which is incapable of fulfilling the function which the buyer has in mind. He suggested that nurserymen include in their salesyard displays examples of both right and wrong ways of handling certain plant materials.

Digressing slightly, Mr. Heutte commented on the current battle being waged against advertising bill-boards along highways. Granting that many billboards are ugly, Mr. Heutte expressed the further belief that they have become a necessary component of the American advertising scheme. The answer, therefore, he said, was to retain the billboards, at least in certain places, and to arrange plantings around them to make them attractive. Nurserymen, he said, should take the initiative in a project of this kind.

Current Nursery Problems

Tuesday's sessions opened with a general discussion under the title "Current Nursery Problems," with A. J. Shoosmith, Southside Nurseries, Richmond, as moderator.

Mr. Shoosmith led off the discussion by describing the successful efforts of Richmond's nurseries to beat a plan by the city of Richmond to levy a \$300 contractors' license fee on nurseries doing business in the [Continued on page 56]

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city. Mr. Shoosmith said that the court ruling in the case held that nurserymen are growing plant material, and are not to be considered contractors. Mr. Shoosmith strongly approved the decision and considered it important in that it should set a precedent that should discourage other cities from attempting to levy similar fees.

Changing the subject to merchandising, Mr. Shoosmith told of the need for a method of developing in the public mind a desire for nursery products, and of instructing the public on how to use plants. The "Plant Virginia" program is the answer to the problem, he added. E. M. Quillen, Waynesboro Nurseries, Waynesboro, then reviewed again the establishment of the Plant Virginia Association.

Mr. Shoosmith continued by stating that a trial of the planting program in two Virginia counties had been successful and offered encouragement for spreading the program throughout the state. He said that he felt a paid secretary eventually would be needed to keep the program in motion. It is expected and desired that other groups in the horticulture field will contribute time and money to the Plant Virginia Association, but Mr. Shoosmith expressed the hope that the nurserymen themselves will always be able to exercise some degree of control

Prof. A. G. Smith then took the floor and presented some interesting figures from the federal census bureau to show that the nonfarm population was becoming more and more dominant in the state. Population increases are being shown in urban and in rural nonfarm areas at the expense of rural farm areas. This trend, he said, will serve to deemphasize the farm and will place more emphasis upon agricultural activities involved in the planting of homes, factories, etc. He also stated that home ownership is increasing and the exodus of people from congested city areas to the suburbs is proceeding at a considerable rate.

The morning session concluded with an extensive travel film in full color, presented by Patsy Donofrio. of Carroll Gardens, Westminster, Md. Mr. Donofrio's films took the audience from coast to coast.

Associate Memberships

At the business meeting, in addition to the election of officers, the association voted to limit out-of-state nurserymen to associate membership in the Virginia Nurserymen's Association. The effect of this resolution



will be to prevent out-of-state members from voting on measures which come up for consideration at the Vir-

ginia meetings.

E. M. Quillen expressed the opinion that there should be more funds appropriated in the Virginia Polytechnic Institute budget for ornamental horticulture. He urged the nurserymen to organize a case for this increased appropriation to be presented when the next budget for the institute is being prepared. He suggested that florists and members of garden clubs in the state be asked to join in the presentation of the case.

A. S. Gresham, Gresham's Nursery, Richmond, proposed that the president of the association, rather than the retiring president, be the chairman of the executive committee, with the retiring president retained as a member of the committee. He declared that this arrangement would serve the purpose of placing all of the responsibility in the hands of the president, instead of dividing it between the president and the chairman of the executive committee, as is now the case. Since the proposal would require a change in the bylaws and such changes must be posted for 24 hours before being voted upon (the business meeting was held on the last day), the suggestion was set aside for action at next year's business meeting.

Moultrie H. Lanier, Colonial Farms, Richmond, then proposed that the annual dues of the association be increased from \$10 to \$20. Although this proposal met with general acceptance, it, too, would require a change in the bylaws and was therefore also set aside for presenta-

tion at the next meeting.

In view of the fact that Virginia nurserymen were guests of the North Carolina Nurserymen's Association at the 1952 summer meeting, it was voted to invite the North Carolina nurserymen to meet in the state of Virginia for a joint session this coming summer. Several locations were under consideration for the meeting, but none was decided upon at this time.

In a final action, the association passed a resolution expressing regret that Prof. G. T. French, Richmond, an honorary member of the association, was unable to attend the meeting because of illness.

Elect A. A. N. Delegates

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3 to 4 ft	30 to 36 ins
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(Keteleer Red Cedar)	Thuja Orientalis Aurea Nana
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elected delegates to the July convention of the A. A. N. J. D. Yeatts, Yeatts Nursery, Martinsville, and I. R. Richardson were elected as alternate delegates.

Social Events

Social events were, as always, a highlight of the program. This phase of the meeting began Sunday evening, with a fellowship hour and dinner. Oysters and other refreshments were served in addition to the traditional Virginia ham dinner. Following the dinner, Dr. Wesley P. Judkins, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, presented a fascinating series of Kodachrome slides on the flowering and fruiting characteristics of common nursery plants. Dr. Judkins' lucid explanation of plant anatomy was most enlightening.

Monday evening, the past presidents' banquet was held, followed by music and dancing. This colorful event featured the introduction of past presidents of the association. During the evening, Sam Tankard. Tankard Nurseries, Exmore, presented the Virginia Nurserymen's Association award of merit for the past year to Moultrie H. Lanier. The association extended an honorary membership, its fourth, to Frederick Heutte, Norfolk park superintendent. for his efforts in behalf of horticulture in the state of Virginia.

Exhibits

Two series of exhibits, commercial and educational, were set up in the hotel. Among the commercial exhibitors were the following:

American Agricultural Chemical Co., Alexandria, Va.; Southside Nurseries, Richmond; Watkins Nursery, Midlothian, Va.; T. W. Wood & Sons, Richmond; Laird's Nurseries, Richmond; John Bean Division, Food Machinery & Chemical Corp., Lansing, Mich.; Waynesboro Nurseries, Waynesboro; W. T. Hood & Co., Richmond; Menno S. Mennes Nurseries, North Tonawanda, N. Y.: Premier Peat Moss Corp., New York, N. Y.; Gresham's Nursery, Richmond; Garden Supply Sales Corp., New York, N. Y.

Educational exhibitors included the Virginia department of agriculture, Virginia commission of game and inland fisheries, Virginia department of highways, Richmond city park department and Virginia forest service.

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lem of the nursery in the hands of a bank. The bank in turn would reimburse the nursery for sales and handle collections for a small charge.

The problem of keeping account books balanced was treated by Joseph McFarland, an accountant with the Spokane firm of Siegel & Mc-Farland. He explained a simple way of keeping books for a small business which would call for only a few minutes of work each day. However, he stressed the need for accurate entries and a constant effort to keep everyday records. If a daily record is accurately kept a nurseryman with a small business will find it necessary to get professional assistance only two or three times each year, he said. Mr. McFarland's talk was the last of the morning.

In the afternoon, President Leamer presided over a discussion of proposed amendments to quarantine 37. During the debate many points were brought out regarding this proposed change, which would allow for freer entry of foreign plant material. As a result, the committee was appointed to draft a letter showing the group's feelings on the subject.

Following this was a talk, which

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received considerable interest, devoted to the problem of self-service in nurseries presented by Mrs. Clark Malmo, Malmo Nurseries, Seattle. Mrs. Malmo disclosed statistics regarding the status of home ownership in the country and the state. These showed that 55 per cent of the properties in Washington state are those of homeowners. In describing an ideal self-service plan Mrs. Malmo stressed that accessibility is the primary consideration and that the question of how to organize store facilities for this purpose is of secondary importance.

It has been found that modern buyers tend to make purchases more rapidly, that there is more impulse buying, she said. There are several ways that the customer can be helped, and Mrs. Malmo said she preferred to call the procedure self-selection rather than self-service. In the Malmo firm it was found that this method assured more sales per employee. In addition, the self-service arrangement made it possible and even necessary to display more merchandise in a smaller area. This had a further advantage in making it easier to control the inventory.

Harold Hopkins, Bothell, then addressed the group on the value of using a retail catalog as a means of increasing the sales volume per salesman, a system that had brought satisfactory results at Mr. Hopkins' nursery. He said that the function of the catalog is to serve as an extra salesman at the nursery and, to a lesser extent, to stimulate mailorder sales. He urged nurserymen to make catalogs available to waiting customers, thus increasing their interest in the plants.

Sales Promotion Panel

A panel discussion on sales promotion techniques followed. Speaking on this panel were Vic Mix, Bryan Taylor and Mrs. Malmo. Mr. Mix, serving as moderator, opened the discussion with the statement that nurserymen are facing stiffer and stiffer competition for their share of the customer's dollar. To cope with this problem he suggested that nurseries try to improve the eye appeal of their establishments, mainly by displaying attractive material where the public can see it. Mrs. Malmo followed with several suggestions on how to succeed with customers. She said that a smile is the most important part of the approach to the customer, though the ability to see the bright side of things is also helpful in starting off right. Another interesting comment offered by Mrs. Malmo dealt with the matter

of price cutting. Statistics have shown, she said, that a 5 per cent cut in an item's price makes it necessary to increase the sales volume of that item 25 per cent in order to have the same net profit. A cut of 15 per cent requires a 150 per cent sales volume increase. Mrs. Malmo said that one of the strongest arguments in favor of purchases of nursery stock is that no other investment of equal cost can increase the value of a person's property.

The value of a smile in closing sales was also stressed by Mr. Tavlor, who followed Mrs. Malmo on the panel. Regarding the general arrangement of the nursery sales area. Mr. Taylor said he thought there is too much waste space. A customer cannot afford time for a long trip into the growing area to pick out a plant. Employees, he added, should be trained to know the relative values of many kinds of insecticides and

fertilizers

Harley Mays, Mays Nursery, Vancouver, Wash., next took the floor for a talk about the nursery industry in the southwest part of the state. He spoke about some of the early years of the nursery business in that area, touching particularly on the fortunes of a certain renowned apple tree which is distinguished by its longevity, having been planted 125 vears ago.

Mr. Mays' talk concluded the program for the day.

A. A. N. Chapter 28 Meets

Most of the second day's sessions were given over to a meeting of chapter 28 of the American Association of Nurserymen, which includes Washington state. Walter Plough, president of the chapter and owner of the Columbia & Okanogan Nursery Co., Wenatchee, presided over the meeting. Mr. Plough spoke about the importance of Washington state and its high rank among horticultural states of the nation.

Following committee reports, an illustrated talk was given by Prof. Willard Summers, of the landscape department at Washington State College, Pullman. Professor Summers told about a booklet which he has been writing which deals with planning and planting ornamental gardens. The slides he showed at the meeting were illustrations drawn from this booklet.

Dr. T. D. Merrill, head of the department of horticulture at Washington State College, then described some of the work being carried on at the college.

The afternoon session, with Mr. Leamer presiding, was opened with

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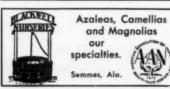
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a talk by William Sprague, Krause Nurseries, Spokane, who just recently carried on a highly successful campaign for a "Plant Spokane" week in cooperation with the junior chamber of commerce. Among the many things mentioned by Mr. Sprague was the help received from the A. A. N. through Mr. Quadland, Mr. White and Mr. Porterfield in working out details for the "Plant Spokane" week affair. One of the ideas Mr. Sprague gained with the committee from the junior chamber of commerce was that of preparing a booklet on street trees for the Spokane area. The booklet emphasized the proper care, selection, etc., of trees which could help beautify the

Association's Effect on the Public

John Strander, Strander Nursery. Seattle, who has been editing the association news-letter. Balls and Burlaps, spoke next. He dwelt on the topic of publicity, saving that one of the advantages of the nurserymen's association is the effect it had on the buying public. It is possible to convince the public that such an association is trying to improve the service and products of its members. Mr. Strander felt there should be some way to let the public know which nurserymen are members of the association. He suggested displaying the association seal on a sign outside each member's nursery.

Mr. Strander stressed that plants are the building materials of the garden and nurserymen should emphasize this fact to their customers. This might help to offset the use of other structural material, such as concrete and wood, which Mr. Strander felt were not so desirable in the garden as living plants.

Mr. Strander concluded the speakers' portion of the program, and, following a brief discussion of old and new business, the meeting was adjourned until the banquet in the evening.

The banquet was held in the Davenport hotel and was attended by 120 persons. One of the highlights of the evening was the presentation of an award to John B. Strander because of his good work advancing the activities of the association during the previous year. Because of this work he was elected "Man of the Year." This award is to be presented each year to the person doing the most for the organization.

The speaker of the evening was Robert D. Dellwo, who showed slides and described some rivers and dams in the state of Washington.

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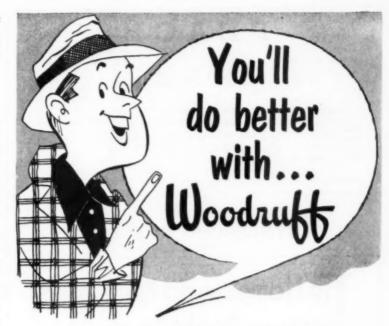
Continuing on his theme of new, practical and interesting plant materials, Mr. Taylor stressed the need for late-flowering types of shrubs. He listed examples of some of the new and interesting plant materials that should be included in the yard as well as some of the best of the old types that nurserymen can afford to push.

Concluding his talk, he urged the nurserymen to encourage the sale of winter-flowering shrubs, since the west coast area has a full winter selling season; and, in line with this, he was emphatic in pointing out that nurseries should be kept bright and dressed-up in the winter months to encourage customer interest.

Completing the list of outside speakers during the 2-day midwinter session was Chester O. Broders, assistant professor of business administration at Oregon State College. Mr. Broders spoke on the way business methods can help nurserymen. First, he divided selling into three main parts. He said the problem of completing a sale first involved the selling of oneself; then, the selling of a service, or rendering of advice, and thirdly, the final object, or selling of the product. He again reminded the nurserymen to "stand on the customer's side of the fence." In presenting his views to the audience Mr. Broders offered several brief sales promotional suggestions including the following: (1) Convey the point to the customer briefly; (2) illustrate words with action, and (3) choose words carefully when urging a sale. As an example of the last point, he stated that a salesman should never say "What do you want?", but should say "Which one do you want?"

Concluding the regular meeting of the Oregon nurserymen was a business meeting of chapter 12 of the A. A. N., with President Robert Walker presiding. Delegates were elected to the annual meeting of the A. A. N. in July at New York city. Holdover delegates elected for another year were A. Lynn Brooks and Melvin Surface, and James Doty was elected to a second term for two years.

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PENNSYLVANIA MEETING

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nurserymen. He also mentioned the outstanding work being done with turf grasses. Dr. R. S. Kirby, plant pathology extension, was scheduled to be on the panel but because of illness could not be present.

Professor Meahl summed up the various points and said the main function of the college is teaching and that the product of this endeavor is trained students. It is hoped that those trained in horticulture can find employment with nurserymen and that they will be able to contribute to the improvement of the industry.

President's Nine Goals

In the afternoon, the meetings opened with Eugene Muller, DeKalb Nurseries, Norristown, giving the president's address. He reviewed the main business of the executive committee and nine goals for the year. The first goal was increased membership in the association. This work has been under the direction of Jesse R. S. Flory, who has plotted the location of each member of the Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association and also the location of every licensed nurseryman in the state. Districts have been established, with a member of the association as chairman of each who will visit and sell the advantages of membership in the association to all nonmembers of the district. Three thousand booklets telling of the advantages of association membership have been printed. with 1,500 already mailed.

The second goal was to work out a plan for combining the Western Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association and the Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association into one organization. It was felt that this would make for a stronger association and would benefit all. The idea was presented to the Western Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association at their annual meeting for consideration and a joint committee with representatives of both associations has been working out details to be presented to both organizations for approval or rejection.

Better legislation for the benefit of nurserymen was the third goal. Many items have been discussed with the association's solicitor. There has been a demand for a mechanics' lien law to include nurserymen but upon the advice of the solicitor, who felt it would be class legislation, this was dropped. Instead an alternate suggestion was made to draw up a contract which the client would sign before any work was done.

Other legislative matters were the

elimination of competition with state agencies, such as state nurseries, and the landscape architects' registration bill. A similar bill for registration was presented two years ago, which the nurserymen opposed until exceptions for all nurserymen were included in the bill. Thereafter, the nurserymen were neither for nor against. Nurserymen are excepted in the new bill and again are taking no stand.

Fourth Goal Achieved

The fourth goal was for a better annual booklet, which from all appearances was achieved. The fifth was for standardization and more realistic specifications for bidding on public works jobs. The committee had no recommendations at this time but were working on the problem and expected to have a plan worked out. The sixth goal was a paid secretary. It is not financially possible to have one yet but if membership increases perhaps it will be, he said.

Closer cooperation with state agencies, such as the highway department, in order to anticipate future planting needs so that nurserymen could be growing the material, was the seventh goal. The eighth goal was publicity and improved public relations, Clarence Pontz, C. E. Pontz & Son, Lancaster, had been carrying the load of the newsletter for the past two years, but did not feel he could continue. There is a possibility that an advertising agency will handle the news-letter and perhaps publish six issues per year. The ninth goal was the farm show exhibit, with R. J. Hively, Shiloh Nurseries, York, as chairman. An exhibit was staged showing a garden view through a picture window. This exhibit attracted much favorable comment at the show and should benefit all nurserymen. It was hoped it would be an annual event.

Plant Geography

Following President Muller's address, Dr. John M. Fogg, professor of botany, University of Pennsylvania, spoke on "Plant Geography." He presented charts which showed the great changes that have occured in the various geological ages and how these have affected the soil and resulting plant life as we know it today. In considering the relation of plants to geography, it is necessary to keep in mind the elevation as well as the rainfall, and not only the total rainfall but the seasons when rain comes. By way of example, Rhododendron catawbiense and R. carolinianum can be grown in northern gardens since elevation makes condiWe offer, for immediate shipment, the following items, subject to being unsold upon receipt of order:

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Dr. Donald Wyman, Arnold Arboretum, gave an excellent talk on "The Arnold Arboretum, America's Greatest Garden." He showed Kodachrome slides of many of the choice plants growing in the arboretum and urged their wider use by nurserymen.

The final speaker of the afternoon was John D. Siebenthaler, vice-president of the American Association of Nurservmen who reported on A. A. N. activities. He said that the A. A. N. is concerned about the serious problem of deceptive advertising. Although much of it is not the fault of nurserymen, it reflects on the industry as a whole. A plan for controlling such practices was presented at the 1952 Detroit meeting but there are difficulties in executing it. There is a possibility that it might show partiality to A. A. N. members and might violate federal trade laws. However, standards have been drawn up and presented to various publishing and advertising organizations. It is hoped this will lead to improvements. A committee has been appointed to review advertising copy as it appears in magazines and newspapers, not to stop anything, but to report suspected copy to the Washington office.

Committee Reports

Reports of committees were heard Thursday morning, February 5. Jesse R. S. Flory, membership committee, reported 132 active members, 46 associate and four honorary members.

Owen B. Schmidt, F. D. Moore & Sons, Narberth, said a bill to prohibit state nurseries from growing and selling nursery stock in competition with nurserymen would be introduced in the legislature. After discussion on a possible labor lien law for protection of nurserymen, it was voted that the association prepare an amendment to the lien law to include nursery work.

The whole group stood for a moment of silent prayer in honor of members Mr. and Mrs. James Gillin, Ambler Nurseries, Ambler; Dick Guldemond, Blue Ridge Nurseries, Harrisburg, and Charles W. Hetz, Fairview Evergreen Nursery, Fairview, who have passed away during the year.

A special committee reported the establishment of the J. Hansell French Award through the courtesy of J. Hansell French, former Pennsylvanian secretary of agriculture. This award is to be given each year to the Pennsylvania Nurserymen's

Association member who has contributed the most outstanding service to the nursery industry and the association. The first recipient of this award, for 1952, was Albert F. Meehan, Thomas B. Meehan Co., Dresher, Pa., secretary and treasurer of the association for more than 25 years.

The special committee on the merger of the Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association and the Western Pennsylvania Nurserymen's Association reported that it would be advantageous to both associations if the merger was accomplished. It was voted to select a committee to study and make recommendations for changes in the bylaws to allow for the merger.

City Planning

After the business session, Joe W. Langran, landscape architect, gave an interesting discussion on "City Planning." He compared the uncertainties of city planning, because it concerns human beings, with the uncertainties that nurserymen have to face in nature. The city planner tries to coordinate efforts in three fields. In the economic field, things must be paid for and the expense must be justified. In the social field, better living should result in the form of schools, churches or better shopping areas. In the physical field, plant material must be used, particularly trees. Cities need open spaces where trees and shrubs can thrive.

To work out plans, the city planner must work with whomever is in office but must remain free of political entanglements. The legal tool for carrying out the plan is zoning. However, there first must be a plan and the decision for the plan should be made by the layman rather than by the professional technician. Mr. Langran illustrated the way that city planning can be developed by showing plans and work in progress in the establishment of Independence Hall, at Philadelphia.

The final speaker was Raymond P. Korbobo, ornamental horticulturist, Rutgers University, whose topic was "Frame Your Home with Trees and Shrubs." He said there were three main principles to remember in land-scaping homes. These are (1) to soften the architectural features of the building where vertical lines meet the ground; (2) to frame the building with trees, and (3) to maintain open lawn areas. By using a large flannel-graph, Professor Korbobo showed how following these principles affects the appearance of a building and the beauty of a planting.



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California Course Attracts 200

By W. B. Balch

A 1-day short course for California nurserymen was held at the University of California, Davis campus, on January 30, and attracted over 200 nurserymen and their employees. It was sponsored by the California Association of Nurserymen, headed by the Superior chapter. This was the first in a series of 1-day short courses to be held in different parts of the state, the purpose of which is to show nurserymen how to serve their customers better, thus enabling them to improve their businesses and elevate the status of the nursery industry generally. Landscaping, insect control, lawn care, irrigation and propagation were among the subjects thoroughly and expertly discussed. Marstin H. Kimball, extension ornamental horticulturist at the university's Berkeley campus, was chairman of the meet-

After welcoming by representatives of the C. A. N. and the university, Robert J. Tetlow, of the university's department of landscape gardening and floriculture, discussed "The Basic Principles of Landscaping." He handled a difficult and highly technical subject in an admirable manner and gave the group numerous new ideas about home landscaping. By showing color slides of some unsatisfactory jobs, he was able to point out how undesirable effects could be prevented as well as how to achieve satisfactory landscaping results.

Climate Control

A talk on climate control by Dr. Robert B. Deering, also of the department of landscape gardening and floriculture, followed. With facts and figures he illustrated the effect plants have on temperature control. He explained that the temperature over an asphalt pavement may be 10 degrees Fahrenheit higher than over a lawn adjoining it.

"Trees, too," he said, "tend to lower temperature, and if these are used alone as partial shade for a patio or in large numbers as a windbreak, they will in either case have a noticeable effect in lowering temperature."

He pointed out that the use of plants to control local climate was easiest to accomplish in the hotter, drier areas of a state, such as California's interior valley, and less likely to be effective in more humid areas, such as the southern part of Louisiana. The plants, whether they are giant trees, alfalfa or grasses, perform their function in climate control, according to the speaker, by increasing the amount of moisture in the air. This is done by transpiration and this in turn lowers temperatures by using the heat of the air to volatilize the moisture introduced into the air. He mentioned also the use of vines and other plant materials to achieve lower summer and higher winter temperatures.

Warren Schoonover, extension soil specialist, University of California, discussed soils. He confined his remarks to soil correctives and outlined three principles of soil correction. He said that soils were sometimes unsatisfactory because of poor soil texture, structure or chemistry. Soil texture is determined by the size of the soil particles, and he explained that it is difficult, if at all possible, to change this. The best procedure, according to Professor Schoonover, is to use fillers and organic matter in the form of manures, or inorganic matter in the form of sand and gravel. He stressed that it is necessary to use large amounts of the materials and that the use of small amounts is absolutely ineffective.

Professor Schoonover advised that structure, which he defined as the arrangement of the soil particles, could in some cases be altered by tillage, or working of the soil, but that most tillage had a bad effect on soil structure, and he felt that harm was being done in large as well as small areas by doing too much of it. He recommended the use of the synthetic soil conditioners, now popular and well-advertised, as a means of rearranging the soil particles. He indicated that these synthetics acted as a glue to the soil particles and thus, in a silt or clay soil, they could be effective. However, he added that

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for even semipermanent results an enormous amount was required and the cost was seemingly prohibitive. He cautioned nurserymen to have the soil in the desired condition before applying these materials; otherwise, it seems that they will not alter the soil structure but merely tend to keep it as it is. Thus, a soil which could be improved with these materials might be ruined for a long time by applying them when the soil was too wet or too dry. He indicated that the popularity of these products may be waning.

On the subject of chemistry of the soil, the speaker limited himself to its acidity or alkalinity. To correct an acid soil he suggested the use of lime. For an alkaline soil, he suggested the use of ammonium sulphate and noted that this would react with the soil chemicals and give the desired results better than many other products would. He advised the nurserymen to be sure of what they need before starting, and recommended the services of the county farm adviser for this purpose.

Two speakers briefly discussed lawn problems. Charles G. Wilson, regional director of the greens section of the United States Golf Association, who is stationed at the Davis campus, and Robert M. Hagan, of

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the department of irrigation of the U. of C., gave the nurserymen valuable pointers in the limited time allotted to them.

Mr. Wilson told of the organization, purposes and results of the work done by the greens section. Discussing new and standard grasses planted on golf greens, tees and fairways, he described new methods of caring for them. He pointed out that nurserymen were in a position to advise the homeowner on lawn care provided they were up to date on the subject, and he offered a list of books and booklets on lawn maintenance. A customer coming in for lawn information, he added, was a prospect for grass seeds, weed killers and insecticides for the lawn, as well as for tools and hose. He advised nurserymen to visit one of the lawn plots on his place of business as these would give customers a chance to determine which grasses were best for their conditions and would save the nurseryman time as customers could to a large degree wait on themselves.

Propagation by Cuttings

A discussion of "Recent Developments in Propagation by Cuttings, by Dr. H. T. Hartmann, of the university's department of pomology, was devoted mainly to an appraisement of the use of hormones. Dr. Hartmann said that there have been few new developments in propagation since the introduction of rooting chemicals about 15 years ago. However, eight factors control the rooting of the less easily rooted species. These are the age and condition of the plants; time of year the cuttings were taken; hormones; presence of leaves and buds; rooting medium; humidity; temperature, and

Although some nurserymen had reported failure from the use of hormones and given them up, Dr. Hartmann indicated that this was a mistake and recommended the use of pure chemicals, which they could mix themselves, rather than commercial mixtures. He explained that different species preferred different concentrations, and a commercial mixture might not be satisfactory for a given species. Dr. Hartmann also recommended strongly the use of controlled automatic humidifiers in the cutting bed.

To "Take the Backbreak Out of Weed Control," Dr. William A. Harvey suggested, first, thorough irrigation and fertilization. He then advised that the homeowner use 2,4-D or 2,4,5-T to kill most weeds. The 2,4,5-T also gives results with brush







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and poison oak but several applications are needed. Crab grass must be tackled early in the season and one of the mercury products now on the market was recommended for use against it, although he added that proper lawn care would save the use of chemicals.

For keeping walks and other bare places clear of weeds, Dr. Harvey advised the careful use of sodium TCA, which he said did an excellent job but might soak into the ground and kill the wandering roots of desirable trees or shrubs. Oil sprays, too, were suggested for this use, but these must be used early in the season and repeated sprayings are needed for good control. Malic hydrol, which he said was at one time considered a boon to the home gardener, has not proved satisfactory. Continued use of this as an inhibitor of plant growth, to lessen the need for mowing or pruning, has killed lawns and shrubs after the third or fourth application. CMU is a comparatively new product which Dr. Harvey recommended as a complete sterilizer, and he described methyl bromide as the only soil fumigant which could be used on

As for stump and tree-killing, Dr. Harvey admitted that, as far as he knew, there is no chemical which can be applied to trees or stumps which will kill or rot them satisfactorily. Basal sprays of 2,4-D or 2,4,5-T were described as being somewhat effective, however.

Insect Control

Dr. A. E. Pritchard, department of entomology and parasitology, U. of C., Berkeley, addressed the group on insect control. Although he said he had nothing new to offer on the subject at this time, he re-minded nurserymen of the importance of prompt spraying. Prompt spraying can result in a worth-while saving of spray materials and plants and is always advisable, he said.

The last hour and a half of the day was reserved for a question and answer panel. Although it started on time, there were so many questions and so much lively discussion of each subject that the question period ran well past its allotted time.

Before adjournment, the group officially thanked the college authorities and the speakers for the excellent program and splendid presentation of the material. The nurserymen made a formal request that the course be repeated next year and that the college aid them in establishing similar institutes throughout the state.

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OREGON COUNCIL MEETS

The Oregon bulb, florist and nursery council of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen met on January 27 to consider amendments to the Oregon nurserymen's law, as recommended by the lily growers at a meeting on January 21.

The present Oregon nurserymen's law is a license statute which licenses the seller of nursery stock. Licensees are divided into three groups, depending upon how they obtain their stock. The grower is defined as one who sells stock which he produces: the dealer is he who sells nursery stock which he has purchased, accepted on consignment or collected in the wild, and the agent is he who sells nursery stock for his principal, without handling the stock.

The proposed change in the law would define the dealer as one who handles, on a commission, brokerage or credit basis, nursery stock which he has obtained from the grower. The agent, instead of being a person who sells nursery stock for a grower or dealer, would be defined as one who solicits consignments for growers and dealers. The suggested definition exempts the dealer who obtains possession of nursery stock on a cash basis. The proposed change also includes the suggestion requiring the bonding of commission and credit handlers of nursery stock.

No definite action was taken by members of the council except the passing of a motion which recommended that any proposed changes decided upon should be made through the Oregon produce law if possible. The four florist representatives went on record as opposing the bonding of everyone with a nurserymen's license.

CENTRAL CHAPTER MEETING

The Central chapter of the California Association of Nurserymen held an interesting meeting February 10, at the Showboat, Oakland. Among the speakers were lack Evans, state president; Elmer Merz. executive secretary of the state association; Ned Rucker, of the California spring garden show, and John Williams. Mr. Williams gave an informative talk on merchandising and salesmanship.

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The most important secret nature has as yet yielded in the phytotron, according to Dr. Frits W. Went, the laboratory's director, is that climate is at least as important in plant development as are diseases, heredity, pests, soil conditions and nutrition. Temperature and light, it has been discovered, exert extremely powerful influences on growth. These two factors, Dr. Went said, may be used to make up a deficiency in each other.

NURSERYMAN FEATURED

A San Fernando valley nurseryman, Allan Mori, whose firm, Mel-O-Dee Nursery, is located at North Hollywood, Calif., was publicized as the "Garden Personality of the Week," in a recent issue of the Hollywood Valley Advertiser.

Born at Phoenix, Ariz., according to the article, Mr. Mori settled in California 20 years ago. After serving his stint in World War II, in 1947 he and his wife, Carole, purchased three acres of land covered with sagebrush, which, in the past five years, they have transformed into a nursery stock-producing area. Several generations of the Mori family have been specialty plant growers.

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The man we are seeking should be between the ages of 30 and 45. He should be reliable, sincere, stable, imaginative and thorough. He should have an impeccably honest background, worthy of the most careful scrutiny. He should be interested in a perma-

The man we are seeking will represent us in the midwestern area of the country. He will sell and serve our customers on a "salesmanprotected" basis. He will handle a broad line of nursery products and will enjoy all the benefits and opportunities of association as a full-time employee, with a long-established, progressive and forward-looking organization with a national reputation.

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- 1. Complete job background-dates, duties, income.
- 2. Complete educational background—dates, degrees, specialties.
- 3. References-3 personal, 3 job.
- 4. Income requirements.

All inquiries will be considered strictly confidential and they should be addressed to C. E. Hogan, Vice-president and General Manager, C. R. Burr & Co., Inc., Manchester, Conn.

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HELP WANTED

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HELP WANTED

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NURSERYMEN'S SCHOOL

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mentals Research Laboratory, which is located on the institute's grounds, was next introduced. He briefly described the program which would be conducted during the next year on turf disease investigations.

The laboratory is not going to work on control measures the first year, but rather is going to diagnose turf troubles in individual cases. The laboratory's findings will be used in preparing a turf bulletin in the fall of 1953. If enough interest results, turf plots may be set up.

Foliar Feeding Recommendations

Immediately after lunch Mr. Mc-Faul started the meeting on its way by introducing an old friend of many of those present, Dr. A. M. S. Pridham, also of Cornell University. Dr. Pridham first discussed foliage application of fertilizers.

"To be effective," said Dr. Pridham, "foliar sprays of nitrogen carriers, such as urea, calcium nitrate and ammonium sulphate, should be applied before leaves reach full size. Absorption decreases as the leaves age.

The use of spreaders or wetting agents is advisable, and effective results follow when sprays are made during cool, cloudy weather.

Dr. Pridham pointed out that in order to correct chlorosis, or iron deficiency, ferrous sulphate sprays or chlorated iron sprays can be applied and will give temporary greening, but for a permanent cure, soil treatments with either of the above compounds are needed.

Urea should be used at rates of one pound to five pounds per 100 gallons of spray; iron (ferrous) sulphate, at the rate of four ounces to five gallons of spray.

Rates of application for soil treatment will depend on soil type, internal drainage, and the plant spe-

From foliage applications of fertilizer, the talk turned to nursery weed control, and Dr. Pridham described the use of the following materials and proportions which have proved satisfactory. Materials were applied to the weeds directly in the nursery rows in order to eliminate hand weeding. since the weeds between the plant rows could be taken care of by a machine. The sprays used were Dow Premerge (one gallon to 25 or 50 gallons), Dow Selective (one gallon to 50 or 100 gallons), Sinox PE (one gallon to 25 or 50 gallons), Sinox W (one gallon to 50 or 100 gallons), Chloro I.P.C. (one gallon to 25 or 50 gallons). None of the sprays

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Dr. Pridham had many colorful slides. One that caused considerable interest showed tar paper used as a nursery mulch in Hawaii. The young plants were planted through holes in the paper.

New Grasses Recommended

Dr. John Cornman, with his dry sense of humor, introduced his topic, "Seed and Fertilizer Recommendations for Long Island Lawns.'

The cause of poor turfs during the past year, he told the group, was partly the rush of heat after a wet spring, followed by a dry fall. Ordinary lawns of fescue and bluegrass showed no particular disease difficulty in previous years, but this past year brought numerous difficulties with such grasses. Weeds appeared that have rarely been seen in Long Island lawns and similar lawn areas.

Poor management of lawns has caused the destruction of such dependable grasses as bluegrass and fescue. As a result, annual bluegrass has become somewhat established, and when the dry summer weather begins, it causes lawns to have a brown appearance. In northern areas (Canada) this annual bluegrass per-

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The many laughs during Dr. Cornman's talk proved that a good sense of humor is always welcome.

A panel of the day's speakers completed not only an instructive program, but also an enjoyable one. In fact, the sun came out before the day was over, ending the nurserymen's school on a cheerful note.



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IMPORTANCE OF JUVENILITY

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in reality juvenile forms of the species. Chamaecyparis lawsoniana ell-woodi, for instance, is one of the many juvenile forms of C. lawsoniana, while C. lawsoniana fletcheri is an intermediate form. We therefore have three distinct types of C. lawsoniana. The juvenile C. l. ellwoodi roots rapidly and with ease while the C. l. fletcheri is more difficult and the adult C. lawsoniana more difficult still. This gradient can be observed in many plants and obviously has a direct bearing upon ease of reproduction from cuttings.

Tied in with this question of juvenility is another aspect of propagation, and that is the production of propagation wood by plants grown under glass. This is an old dodge of the skilled propagator, because it has been found that cuttings taken from plants grown in this way often root with ease, while cuttings which were apparently exactly similar, taken from plants grown in the open, failed to root at all. At the last plant propagators' meeting a brisk discussion arose over the propagation of Japanese maples from stem cuttings.

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Holland, where many problems of propagation are being continually investigated, and I saw there tests being carried on in the rooting of Acer palmatum varieties. It was late June and the cuttings had just been taken as soft tips from actively growing wood. They were inserted around the edge of a 3-inch pot in a mixture of 50 per cent peat and sand. Hormones of various types were used and the cuttings were wounded. The pots were then plunged in peat in the bench and covered with double glass. Good stands were reported from these tests later in the year.

Carl Kern's Method

Carl Kern, of the Wyoming Nurseries, Cincinnati, O., brought up the question of bringing stock plants while still dormant into gentle heat in the greenhouse and forcing them into growth to produce cutting wood. He reported excellent stands of the green A. palmatum from cuttings produced in this way. There is no doubt at all that the production of cutting wood under glass considerably affects and generally increases the rooting ability of many plants. Just why this should be I do not know, and I do not believe that the physiologists have ever satisfactorily explained the matter. But this need not concern us. It is sufficient that we know that it works. We are planning tests on A. palmatum atropurpureum novum this spring and have stock plants now growing under glass for this purpose. I will report the results later.

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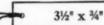
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watched: First, there must be correct timing so that the cuttings are taken from the stock plants early in the summer as soft tips in active growth. From the middle of June onward would seem to be about right for this area-south Jersey-with perhaps a range into the beginning of July if the season is late. Second, a condition of high humidity must be maintained around the cuttings so that they do not drop or flag after being taken. Third, moderate strength hormones, probably No. 3, should be used, and, finally, a light wound inflicted to stimulate root production. If these various factors can be lined up correctly, the maples should respond by rooting with reasonable ease. Timing would seem to be the most important single factor, because cuttings which are reaching the end of their spring surge of growth will rapidly harden into temporary dormancy after being removed from the parent plant. Once this happens rooting seems unlikely.

TROUBLE WITH TAXUS CUTTINGS

I have had two or three letters from growers this past week reporting difficulties with batches of taxus cuttings and asking if I can suggest a remedy. As far as can be seen the cuttings have been taken in a completely normal manner, inserted at the right time in good clean sand, with moderate bottom heat and with reasonable hormone treatments. Yet on examining the cuttings after a few weeks these growers report that all the portions of the stems below the surface of the bench have rotted. In many cases the tops of the cuttings give no indication of this trouble beneath, but when the cuttings have been pulled out to examine them all were found to be rotted.

Now, of course, it is impossible for me to be dogmatic about this because I have not seen the cuttings nor, which is more important, have I seen the stock plants from which the cuttings were taken. Yet I believe that when troubles of this kind arise they can usually be traced to an improper ripening of the late growths on the large plants from which the cuttings have been taken. There are, of course, many other factors which could cause the trouble, such as unclean sand and benches, too much bottom heat, too strong hormone powder-one grower reported using Rootone No. 10, which I believe would be too strong for most taxus-or perhaps unskilled handling of the water. How-



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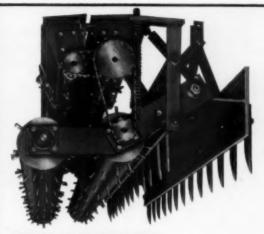
ever, from our experience I do not believe that these factors are usually responsible for the failure of a taxus cutting crop. We have all seen excellent stands of cuttings rooted in a coldframe in what almost amounts to sandy topsoil, so why should a little contamination of the sand in the greenhouse produce such losses. I am forced to believe that the answer lies in the condition of the wood when it was removed from the plants in the fields. In general, I do not like soft, sappy growth for taxus cuttings. It is fairly common to see growers taking cuttings from dormant, semiripened wood produced in late summer and fall of the previous growing season. If things are just right they will root, but my experience has been that these cuttings are slower to root and are much more liable to attack from fungus diseases than cuttings taken from older wood. Taxus plants are heavy feeders and it is normal practice to fertilize them well to produce vigorous growth and a good color. Chicken manure is excellent for this purpose and seems to do more good than all the artificial fertilizers, but cuttings taken from plants which have been stimulated into strong growth in this way are unstable and uncertain. They may root, but they are equally likely to die.

Hardening-up Process

One has to consider the hardening up process which takes place as fall weather cools down. On plants which are in active growth a sudden sharp frost will certainly stop growth, but it can also cause unseen and unsuspected damage to the tissues of the soft plant stems. This may only be the destruction of a cell or two here and there, which under normal conditions of growth would be healed over by the plant and pass unseen. But remove the branch, make an open wound which provides ready access for fungus diseases and this insignificant damage becomes of major importance. The dead tissues are attacked and die, taking the live ones with them. The cutting is use-

Although I have not had an opportunity to examine any of the cuttings which have been reported to me as dying, I believe that the type of cutting and its condition when taken is largely responsible. As I have said before, we prefer to take our taxus cuttings from plants which have been somewhat starved. The immediate past season's growth may not be more than a few inches, and we cut below this into older wood. If we have to take cuttings from





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The group adjourned to the meeting room after Mr. Brockett had concluded the luncheon program and heard a fine talk by Dr. Clyde C. Hamilton, associate research specialist in entomology at the New Jersey agricultural experiment station at Rutgers University, New Brunswick. Dr. Hamilton brought the members up to date on his work with taxus weevil and spider mites. Dr. Hamilton's address will be printed in a future issue of the American Nurseryman.

Chemical Weed Control

The next speaker was Dr. A. M. S. Pridham, associate professor of ornamental horticulture, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., whose subject was "Chemical Weed Control."

Dr. Pridham was careful to mention that work being done to control weeds in nurseries is still in the infant stage, but that the problems to be solved make it worth while for further research, experimentation and observation.

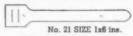
The speaker pointed out that chemical control of weeds is receiving increased attention in all phases of agriculture. Most of the basic research is being conducted with purely agricultural crops but Dr. Pridham is definitely obtaining results with some original experiments.

He mentioned that chemical weed control has not been used on a large scale in nurseries for several good reasons, but not because weeds in a nursery are unique or different from those found in other forms of agriculture. The first reason is that treatment of seedling weeds less than a half inch in size is seldom undertaken in nurseries except in midsummer. The array of chemicals is thus re-



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A third problem, related to crop injuries, is the need to determine the response of not a single kind or a few varieties but to find herbicides which will kill many weed types and not injure any of the large number of kinds and varieties of plants found in nurseries. This may not be possible and the nurserymen will have to come to the same limited objective found with other crops, that is, special formulations for specific weeds in specific crops.

With the aid of colored slides Dr. Pridham then went into detail as to the materials that he has used in his experiments and showed tabulations of results on the screen. A few types of chemical weed killers have proved superior to others in his tests

thus far.

Dr. Pridham pointed out the importance of timing the sprays with relation to the stage of maturity, the dormancy and general condition of the plants in the nursery row. It is also important, according to Dr. Pridham, that flat spray or similar directional-type spray nozzles be used in order to direct the herbicide into the base of the plants so that less than six inches of the stem comes in contact with the spray. This is done by directing a flat spray almost parallel to the soil surface. He pointed out that the plant row is sprayed from both sides and only the area normally weeded by hand receives the herbicide treatment. The space between the rows is still left for normal machine cultivation.

The manner of protecting plants from injury by mechanized equipment was also mentioned by Dr.

Pridham.

It is generally conceded, he said. that the time required to weed a given area by hand can be reduced at least 75 per cent by efficient spraying from knapsack sprayers. This, of course, only pertains to those situations where a chemical known to be safe and successful is used.

It is suggested that any person contemplating chemical weed control first contact the agricultural experiment station in his area for advice from someone familiar with the effects of these herbicides.

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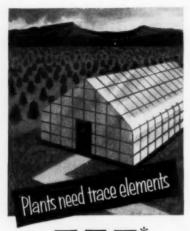
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tect in the Nursery Picture." The moderator was Bert Flemer, of F. & F. Nurseries, Springfield, N. J. The remainder of the panel, affording a good cross section for the discussion, consisted of A. L. Urban, a landscape architect at Trenton, N. J.; Stanley MacIntosh, a landscape designer at Turner Bros. Nursery, West Long Branch, N. J., and William Flemer, Jr., of Princeton Nurseries, Princeton, N. J. The panel represented the professional landscape architect, the landscape nursery and the wholesale grower.

The topic of the discussion is a highly controversial one in almost any section of the nation, but especially so in the metropolitan areas in New Jersey and around New York city. This is so because these areas contain a large number of persons in all these professions. Anywhere you find three or more nurserymen collected around one table, it is a simple matter to start a hot discussion on the subject. It is almost as good a subject as is baseball during the wintertime.

The panel was handled in an excellent manner and questions from the floor finished it up in grand style. Briefly, the most pointed remarks of the three members of the panel are presented as follows:

A. L. Urban said that it must be recognized that the landscape architect is completely dependent upon growers and contractors and it is to everyone's benefit to maintain a friendly relationship between the grower, the contractor and the landscape architect. The landscape architect should always be able to work with a completely free mind in the matter of the garden design and the plants he wants to use.

Mr. Urban said that the "sales service" is a completely legitimate form of advice that the homeowner is rightfully due.

Mr. Urban also stated that when a nurseryman enters into the designing field, he should at once begin practicing that art and cease being a plant salesman. In designing landscape plans, architects must always remain intellectually honest, he continued, and when a nurseryman hires professional help in the design department, he should employ only the best type of designer and should charge for the plans amounts commensurate with the quality of the work.

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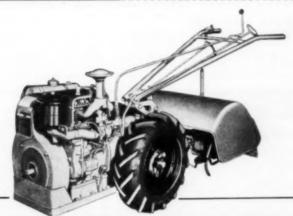
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and (3) the landscape nurseryman who is primarily the practicing architect. Mr. MacIntosh said he would speak only of the third type. He emphasized his opinion that the landscape nurseryman definitely fills the need for the homeowner who cannot afford but a small percentage of his salary for landscape service. He said that the good influence of a well-qualified nurseryman can be seen in the neighborhood in which he does his work. The landscape nurseryman, he continued, also serves his community well.

Mr. MacIntosh pointed out that it is the landscape nursery that is absorbing the majority of students who graduate from college-level programs in landscape gardening. That this system is working well can be demonstrated by the fact that many nurserymen presently have sons in school taking landscape courses in the hope that they can return to the business as a landscape designer, he said. The fact remains, though, he continued, that once the nurseryman develops the customer's confidence in his work, sales will follow naturally. He mentioned that a promising development in New Jersey is the existence of the "Better Planting" committee of the New Jersey association which is active and working to im-



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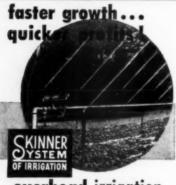
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When questioned about how his firm charges for plans, Mr. MacIntosh said it depends mainly upon the size of the order and the relationship built up between the customer and the company.

He added that, contrary to the prevailing opinion, the landscape designer who works for a landscape nursery has a completely free hand in the selection of plants to put in his landscape design. This is true of his case at least, he said.

Mr. MacIntosh concluded his remarks by saying that many times the small landscape job can be settled right in the office if the homeowner will bring in snapshots of his property and the house and perhaps some rough plans with fundamental measurements on them. This is one way of servicing a large group of customers who cannot afford more expensive plans.

Plant Grower's Viewpoint

Mr. Flemer, who represented the wholesale grower of plants, said that perhaps his most important dealing with the landscape architect is to find out far enough in advance what plants and how many of them will be required by the landscape architects doing business with him so that he can grow them to meet those quotas. Mr. Flemer then gave a goodnatured imitation of the usual complaints that can be heard about the professional landscape architect. He said that he definitely believes that the landscape architect fulfills a great need and does in almost all instances superior work with landscape designs. He said that he agreed with Mr. Urban when he stated that the landscape architect should always be able to work with a free mind.

Mr. Flemer called for closer cooperation between the nurseryman and the landscape architect. He urged the landscape architect to inform his colleagues that they could benefit greatly by paying personal visits to the nurseries with which they do business in order to check their available stock and see what young material they have growing. This could turn into a 2-way street whereby the architect could find out what materials the nursery does not have and, as a result of the friendly discussions, the nursery might start growing more desirable material.

He closed his remarks by asserting

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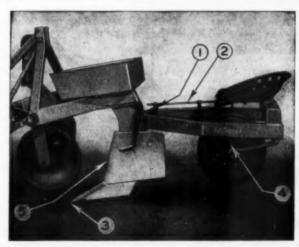
that the landscape architect is, and should be, to the nursery industry what the building architect is to the building trade. Someone must design the object before the contractors can

The second day of the winter meeting will be reported in a later issue of the American Nurseryman.

HORTICULTURAL AWARDS

The Massachusetts Horticultural Society recently announced its selections for awards for 1952. Among those named were Dr. Albert Francis Blakeslee, a geneticist, who won the George Robert White medal of honor, and Arie F. denBoer, superintendent of Water Works park, Des Moines, Ia., who has developed many hybrid crab apples, winner of the Jackson Dawson medal.

The Thomas Roland award went to Dr. Victor A. Tiedjens, Mario, O., for his work in hydroponics. Fred Edmunds, Portland, Ore., nationally known new rose judge, won a large gold medal, and another of these awards went to Mrs. Bessie Raymond Buxton, Peabody, Mass., lecturer, authoress and amateur botanist, who recently completed an index of more than 10,000 cultivated begonias.



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"and then we break down the plan into months and into weeks. We also have to plan for the big holidays when they come around. Each of these periods has to be considered in our operating plan. This means that we have to have a big plan to provide for a proportionate amount of merchandise to be sold during the different periods. Then we have to further analyze our business and break the merchandising plan down into categories.

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Mr. Raben declared that the merchandise handled by his store is divided into 13 classes. Sales of each class of merchandise are recorded individually so the firm knows what percentage of the total sales has been contributed by each class of merchandise. Costs of the various classes of merchandise are also recorded and the firm is able to determine whether it has sold enough of a certain type of merchandise at a certain markup to justify the purchase of a certain volume of that type of merchandise.

Mr. Raben then turned his attention to advertising, pointing out the advantages in both advertising for sales and institutional advertising. Here again, planning was mentioned as being all-important. Consistency in advertising was mentioned as being absolutely necessary. Mr. Raben urged that the nurserymen study the methods used by department stores in day-to-day retail advertising.

Encourages Competition

The speaker dismissed the idea, held by some retailers, that the proximity of a number of stores selling similar merchandise is a cause for distress. "For my part," he said, "I would encourage a competitor to open across the street from me. I have said this same thing to people time and time again. I would like to see not just one competitor across the street, I would like to see several of them. If I could control the land within a mile radius and do what I wanted to do with it by leasing or selling, I would encourage fellows who intend to open garden centers or markets to open their businesses as . close as possible to mine."

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where there are usually several of the same type of store in a small area. The reason they congregate, he said, is to attract the flow of traffic into the area, which flow usually benefits all of the stores. Once the potential customers have been attracted, he said, it is up to the individual merchant to be a little bit smarter than his competition. It is in the face of competition, he added, that the retailer exercises his merchandising ingenuity to the fullest.

Mr. Raben also called for improvements in the packaging of nursery stock as an aid to retailers. He reviewed the progress in packaging made by other industries, and lamented the fact that many plants are still being offered for sale in "a big dirty bag of burlap."

"Why cannot it be planted in or grown in something that is square, and then have it wrapped in something that is fancy and just a little bit glamorous?", he asked. "The material used could have the same quality as burlap, but I think that the appearance could be improved upon. We should have something that will catch the eye of the customer."

Building Up Slow Months

In response to a question from the floor, Mr. Raben explained his methods of increasing the volume of sales during the slow months of the year. Using the month of January as an example, the speaker stated that through planning he was able to increase his January sales by 800 per cent from 1952 to 1953 (1952 was the first year his store was open at all in January). He accomplishes this by advertising for mail-order business during the period when over-the-counter sales are slow.

Following another comment from the floor, Mr. Raben acknowledged that there is a problem in connection with the replacement of defective merchandise when it is sold on a selfservice basis. He stated that his firm maintains a liberal guarantee policy, replacing defective plants within a year of their original purchase. When it was suggested that this type of guarantee might be too liberal, Mr. Raben replied that it is set up that way to meet the challenge of the competition. The customer is likely to trade where he can obtain the most liberal guarantee, the speaker concluded.

The next speaker was Dr. Frank L. Howard, director of the department of plant pathology and entomology at the University of Rhode Island. Dr. Howard's lecture, en-



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Panel Discussion

Following a midday dinner, sessions resumed with a panel discussion moderated by Chester E. Hogan. Members of the panel were Louis Vanderbrook, Manchester, Conn.; Seth L. Kelsey, East Boxford, Mass.; Willard M. Bond, North Abington, Mass., and Arthur Webster, Cromwell. Conn.

Mr. Hogan directed his first question to Mr. Vanderbrook, the question being, "In what basic ways can the wholesaler assist the retailer in such things as stock selection, merchandising and other services?"

In reply, Mr. Vanderbrook stated that the wholesaler should have information as to what stock moves well in all sections of the country with which he deals. He should refrain from allowing his retail customers to buy anything that might not move or that might create hard feelings among the buying public. He also should make sure that the stock he sells is up to a reasonable standard and that it is hardy in the area in which it will eventually be planted. In dealing with landscape contractors, Mr. Vanderbrook said that the main problem is making sure that the product the wholesaler is sending is of good quality.

Mr. Hogan then asked Mr. Vanderbrook if the wholesalers are doing a good job of helping the retailers.

Mr. Vanderbrook replied that some wholesalers are doing a good job. However, he said, there are others who are too dollar hungry and push off plant material that is not good. This, he continued, may be because of the fact that employees who are handling the material are careless and do not handle it in the proper manner. He also mentioned that some wholesalers are sending out plant material without labels.

The moderator then posed the same question to Mr. Bond, who replied that he did not believe enough wholesalers were putting enough thought into the growing of the material that must be sold in a retail store. Plants must be able to attract customers. The materials should look promising enough so that the retail salesmen can present a good sales case to the customer. He

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said the wholesaler should always aim at growing material that the public will buy, not simply material that the retailer will buy, since the latter has little choice but to buy it; also, if the retailer cannot sell the material, he will eventually be no longer able to buy it.

Commenting on the same question, Seth Kelsey mentioned the matter of plant material wrapping. He said that many times the retailer does not turn over a plant until two or three weeks after receiving it from the wholesaler and that the plant should be wrapped and roped tightly to stand up during this period of time. "It is pretty discouraging," he said, "to sell something that looks like it had a bag of loose marbles at the base."

How Retailer Can Assist Wholesaler

Reversing the question, Mr. Hogan asked Mr. Webster how the retailer can assist the wholesaler in the latter's problems, such as delivery, introduction of new products and disposition of surplus material. Mr. Webster replied that the retailer should inform the wholesaler or producer of trends which indicate consumer interest in various types of plants and tell the wholesalers which types of plants are moving, and which are not, so as to influence the production of certain types of material. The retailer should also tell the wholesaler what he thinks of the latter's methods and make suggestions as to improvement which will be beneficial to both the wholesaler and the retailer.

In the matter of disposition of surplus, Mr. Bond rejoined the discussion to say that he, as a retailer, would rather see surpluses burned rather than have them placed back on the market. He said he did not like to see surplus material sold to the "lucky retailer" who may have a cash balance that will give him the wherewithal to pick up the material and have the advantage over the others. He said that he agreed with Mr. Raben that being able to dispose of such stock is good business, but he added that not all retailers are in a position to acquire the surplus and turn it over.

At this point, Lester Needham entered the discussion to say that the retailer—the fellow who contacts the ultimate consumer—can more readily find out what plants are needed for any particular type of house and what the customer wants. He mentioned a symposium at the recent eastern regional meeting, at New York, where it was developed that medium-size trees, such as dog-



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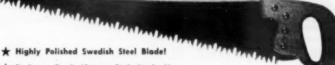
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woods, were the type the consumer wanted, rather than sugar maples or elms. "That is the trend today and the wholesaler should pay attention to that trend," said Mr. Needham.

Obtaining the Consumer Dollar

The next question posed by the moderator was, "Do you think that the retailer secures a sufficient share of the consumer dollar? Also, what can be done to improve the situation?"

Mr. Kelsey, in answering the question, stated that the nursery business is one of the most important things in our civilization. It is worth a substantial portion of the consumer dollar, he continued, and the nurserymen are not obtaining one tenth of what they should.

"Let's go out and fight for 10 per cent of the consumer dollar that is being spent," he continued. "If we wind up with 5 per cent, we can all retire and be wealthy-we can live in the style to which we would like to become accustomed." Obtaining a greater proportion of the consumer dollar can only be done through better merchandising, Mr. Kelsey concluded.

The moderator urged Mr. Kelsey to continue and he explored further the matter of advertising.

"I think that the biggest thing we can do is to have the retailers group together and do some constructive advertising," he declared. "This has been tried in a small way, but it has not been given an adequate chance. I think that if the retailers in an area stay together and say to the public, 'We are the outstanding nurserymen in the neighborhood, we can give you service and good advice. We are all good people and we want to see you,' group advertising will pay dividends. That means we have to forget our individual prejudices. We have to forget about worrying about the other fellow moving ahead of us."

In reply to another question from the moderator, Mr. Vanderbrook said that the retailer and the wholesaler should exchange information. He expressed the belief that there should be a central clearing house where all the facts might be assembled so that the wholesaler can supply to the central office a listing of the material he has on hand. The retailer can supply the same office with a listing of the supplies that he needs. In this way, the retailer will know what material is available and the wholesaler will know what material is in demand on the part of the public.

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the discussion wide open, and Mr. Bond made the comment that wholesalers in the nursery business are not aiding the retail nurserymen in the same manner as is done by wholesalers in other lines. He mentioned specifically the cooperation that retailers in the food and drug field obtain from their wholesalers and their wholesale salesmen. He expressed the belief that the nursery

industry wholesaler can go a long way toward helping the retail nurseryman move his merchandisc.

In reply to this, Mr. Vanderbrook said that in his opinion most re-tailers would not let him, a wholesaler, come into their places of business and tell them how to sell their merchandise.

Mr. Vanderbrook then turned the tables and commented on the problems the wholesalers have with the retailers. He mentioned the retailer who places an order with a wholesaler and tells the latter the approximate date that he wants the material. After the wholesaler prepares the material and lets the retailer know the material is ready, the retailer takes two or three weeks to come and pick it up.

"Not only do we have to put up with that," said Mr. Vanderbrook, "but after the retailer secures the

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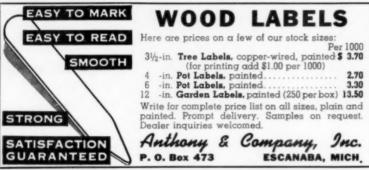
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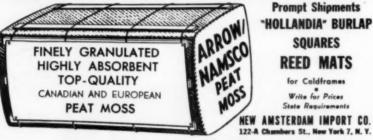
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"Now I hate to see a load go out of my place without any covering. However, I do not have enough canvas on hand to take care of all the customers who come into my place and load up. Once in a while we will supply the driver with a canvas and a rope and then we will ask the driver to send the canvas and the rope back to us and offer to pay for the express charges. Even then. sometimes, we do not get the canvas back.

"Those are a few of the problems we have with the retailers. We do try to help out as much as we can, but we would like them to remember that we also have some problems that we have to lick."

Dick Van Heiningen made the statement that one of the greatest problems the nursery industry has today is the complete lack of any really good reasons why consumers should buy its products. This observation brought forth a flood of comments from the floor, and the following reasons for planting and landscaping were advanced:

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Curtis Porterfield Returns

On Thursday morning, Curtis Porterfield returned to the speakers' rostrum and offered some remarks on the activities on the American Association of Nurserymen, placing particular emphasis on the group insurance plan.

Of particular interest in Mr. Porterfield's talk was his reference to Senate bill 586, introduced by



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Business Sessions

The business aspects of the New England meeting were spread among several of the sessions. The secretary, Erwin Whitham, reported February 3, and covered the gain in membership, the year's meetings of the executive committee and the summer meeting, which was held mostly for fellowship. He reported on the annual yearbook of the association, which he stated produced \$670 in revenue and cost \$373.23 to print.

Alfred Angel, the treasurer, in his report, showed revenue for the past year of \$4,906.18 and operating ex-



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penses of \$4,533.58, resulting in a net operating surplus of \$372.60. He also reported that the redemption value of six bonds held by the association had increased \$97 during the year to make the net surplus of the association \$469.60. The report was most complete and was accepted unanimously by the membership.

A budget was proposed for the calendar year 1953 which showed an anticipated income of \$2,675 and expenses of \$2,373.13. As set up, the budget would provide for a surplus for the year of \$301.87. The budget was also accepted by unanimous vote.

Resolution Approved

The resolutions committee offered the following, which was approved:

Whereas God, in His infinite wisdom, saw fit to call Luke C. May to his eternal home

And whereas the members of the New England Nurserymen's Association have for many years known and respected Luke as a fellow member and faithful worker for the association and as president of the

And whereas every member has a feeling of personal loss and deep sorrow over Luke's passing on,

Therefore be it resolved, that the members of this association wish to convey to Luke's family their sympathy over their loss and also to make a permanent record of their love and respect for Luke,

And be it further resolved, that this resolution be spread on the records of this association and that a copy be sent to

Charles A. Godin then read the report of the membership committee. The report showed a net gain of nine active members during the past year, bringing the total to 98, and a net gain of seven associate

members, bringing the total to 15.

The business session resumed Thursday morning, February 5, following the address of Mr. Porterfield. At this time Mr. Godin was called upon again and was able to report the addition of four more members to the association since the first reading of the membership committee's report at the previous business session.

Set Next Meeting Site

The recommendation of the executive committee that the association accept the invitation of the Adams Nursery, Westfield, Mass., to hold the 1953 summer meeting at that nursery was approved by the membership. The exact date of the summer meeting was not set. The membership also approved a recommendation of the executive committee that the 1954 convention be held February 2 to 4, with the selection of the hotel to be left to the discretion of the executive committee.

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